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**Warren & Durfee**

REAL ESTATE

**DEALERS, BROKERS,**

—AND—

**CONVEYANCERS!**

April 1, 1872—d tf.

**MACON COUNTY**

TITLE

**Abstract Office**

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**WARREN & DURFEE.**

April 1, 1872-d tf.

**Reliable Fire Insurance**

NEW YORK

**UNDERWRITERS'**

**AGENCY.**

Cash Assets January 1, 1872,

*$3,666,342.55.*

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CHICAGO, December 5, 1871.

*To the Officers of the Germania, Hanover, Niagara and Republic Fire Ins. Co's of New York.*

GENTLEMEN - The manner pursued by your Companies in the adjustment and payment of our own claims, and so far as we know, All claims for losses in the great fire in Chicago, has been so highly honorable, prompt and straightforward, and marked by such apparent desire to deal justly towards all parties, under all circumstances, that we desire voluntarily to acknowledge it to the business public. We conceive that no stronger testimonial could be made, both of the responsibility of the integrity of an Insurance organization, than ours has passed through successfully and creditably. With an unimpaired Capital and undiminished responsibility, and a record for equitable settlement, certainly surpassed by none, we congratulate you on the chance of future prosperity, to which your actions here have so justly established you, and remain,

Yours very respectfully,

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| Field, Leiter & Co. | Ino V Farwell & Co. |
| S C Griggs & Co. | Hayden & Kay. |
| W J Quan & Co. | Farrington, Brewster & Co. |
| Richards, Cumbaugh & Co. | Wight, Dunton & Co. |
| D W & A Keith & Co. | C M Henderson & Co. |
| S P Sladden & Co. | Wm Ward & Co. |
| Markley, Alling & Co. | Wenge, Kirtland & Ordway. |
| Barnum Bros. | Hart, Aston & Co. |
| C H Beckwith & Sons. | Cahn, Wampold & Co. |
| Leopold, Kuh & Co. | E F Hollister & Co. |
| Allen & Mackey. | Hamlin, Hale & Co. |
| Bowen, Hunt & Winslow. | Hall, Kimbark & Co. |
| Henry W King & Co. | D B Fisk & Co. |
| Chas. Gossage & Co. | Chas. P Kelsey & Co. |
| Chas W Angell, Sec'y Pull. Car Co. | H & D S Greenebaum Sweet, Dempster & Co |
| N Matson & Co. | Edwards, Bluett & Co |
| Keith Brothers. | Biggs, Spencer & Co. |
| Ryam Wheeler. | Hart Brothers. |
| Virgho, Ruhling & Co. | Wight & Stevens. |
| R Kleeman & Co. | M D Wells & Co. |
| Walker | Oakley & Co. |

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*WARREN & DURFEE,*

AGENTS, DECATUR, ILL.

April 1, 1872-d-tf.

**CONTINENTAL**

**INSURANCE CO.**

OF NEW YORK CITY,

Devoted Exclusively to Fire Insurance.

*Cash Capital,*

**One Million Dollars!**

*Assets January 1, 1872,*

**$2,509,526.00.**

*Losses in Chicago Fire Paid*

*$1,485,888.*

—o—

**Warren & Durfee**

AGENTS.

April 1, 1872—d-tf.

**Insurance Company**

OF

**NORTH AMERICA,**

*PHILADELPHIA.*

*ORGANIZED A. D. 1794.*

OLDEST SURANCE CO. IN AMERICA.

*Cash Assets, January 1, 1872,*

*$3,212,176.*

The OLD NORTH AMERICA Commenced business April 14th, 1794, has since been in SUCCESSFUL and UNINTERRUPTED operation for 78 years.

*Losses in the Chicago Fire paid,*

*$580,000 00.*

And continues to offer its services to those seeking RELIABLE INDEMNITY against loss by fire.

For Policies in the above Sterling Old Company apply to

WARREN & DURFEE, Agents.

April 1, 1872 d-tf.

**FOR SALE!**

**BUSINESS PROPERTY.**

A THREE STORY BRICK on the Old Square. A first-rate property, that can be bought low if applied for soon. Apply to WARREN & DURFEE.

**RESIDENCE LOTS.**

LOT 10, block 4, North addition, cor. Union and Edmund sts; size, 70 x 176 feet. Apply to WARREN & DURFEE.

ON the corner of William and College sts; size, 95 x 140 feet. A very desirable and convenient location; offered at a great sacrifice. Apply to WARREN & DURFEE.

IN Durfee & King's addition—lot 7, block 4—fronting on Church st. A good lot, at a reasonable price. Apply to WARREN & DURFEE.

NOS. 8 AND 9, P. B. Shepherd's 2nd addition, fronting on William st., between Monroe and Pine sts.; lot 8, 81 feet front, lot 9, 10 feet front, depth, 150 feet. Price, together, $850, can be had on long time, with a reasonable payment down. Also,

LOTS 16 and 17, block 1, Thompson's 1st addition, fronting on Monroe st., just west of the Mound, size, 55 x 123 feet each. Will be sold together at $450, or $250 for either lot. Apply to WARREN & DURFEE.

**DWELLING PROPERTY,**

OFFERED VERY LOW, if sold soon; situated on the corner of College and South Macon sts., comprising two lots, fronting 155 feet on both streets. 1½ story dwelling, five rooms, summer kitchen, well, cistern and cellar, and a good-sized stable. Apply to WARREN & DURFEE.

LOTS 1 and 2, block 9, Smith & Co.'s addition, on Condit street, between Morgan and Broadway; size, 66 x 172 feet; one story frame house, 4 rooms and cellar. Improvements nearly new. Can be had for $1,000. WARREN & DURFEE.

LOTS 17 and 18, block 12, Carver's addition, comprising 80 x 140 feet; situated on North Church st., east of Clayton st.; a new frame house of 2 rooms; lots fenced. Can be had for $400, part on time. WARREN & DURFEE.

FIVE HOUSES, in Pedderord & Burrows' addition, convenient to depot, Agricultural Works and Rolling Mill, all well constructed and in good repair. Will be sold low for cash, or on time to suit purchasers. WARREN & DURFEE.

ALSO, a large two story building suitable for a boarding house, situated in block 4, Pedderord & Burrows's addition. For sale by WARREN & DURFEE.

A COMFORTABLE story and a half house, 7 rooms, good cellar, well, cistern and new stable—all in good repair—lot 50 x 160 ft., fronting on William st.; very convenient to the business part of town. Will be sold very reasonable. Apply to WARREN & DURFEE.

SITUATED on West Wood st., lot 5, block 1, in Southwest's addition—70 feet front, depth 150 feet, 1 story house with basement, 7 rooms; well, cistern and stable. Offered at a very low price. Apply to WARREN & DURFEE.

SITUATED on the corner of Prairie and College sts., comprising 100 feet front on both streets; frame dwelling, 7 rooms, cellar, well and cistern, variety of fruit on premises. A good property in a very desirable location. Apply to WARREN & DURFEE.

LOT 1, block 1, Robinson's addition; situated on the corner of Brown and College sts. Apply to WARREN & DURFEE.

April 26, 1872 d-tf.

THE

**Railway Passengers'**

**Assurance Co.,**

OF HARTFORD, CONN.

Issues tickets of Insurance against

**ACCIDENT.**

**Cash Capital, $300,000,**

*J. G. BATTERSON, President,*
*C. D. PALMER, Secretary*

**RATES**

Of Registered Accident Tickets. Insuring $3,000 in the event of Death, or $15,00 Weekly Indemnity for Total Disability.

| | | | |
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| One Day, | 25 Cents. | Five Days, | $1,25 |
| Two Days, | 50 Cents | Ten Days, | 2,50 |
| | Thirty Days, | $5,00. | |

*Women Insured Against Death Only.*

**Warren & Durfee**

AGENTS.

April 1, 1872-d-tf.

THE

**HARTFORD**

**FIRE**

**Insurance Comp'y,**

**HARTFORD, CONN.,**

CHARTERED, - - - 1810

*CASH CAPITAL,*

**One Million Dollars.**

*Assets January 1, 872,*

**$2,942,071.18.**

Devoted solely to Insurance AGAINST LOSS OR DAMAGE BY FIRE.

**WARREN & DURFEE**

AGENTS.

April 1, 1872-d-tf

*SPRINGFIELD*

FIRE AND MARINE

**INSURANCE CO.**

OF SPRINGFIELD, MASS

*CASH CAPITAL, $5,000.00*

Total Assets, Jan. 1, 1872,

**$1,065,606.00.**

*Losses in Chicago Fire paid,* $500,000

Full line upon desirable risks accepted at reasonable Rates.

WARREN & DURFEE, Agents.

April 1, 1872—d-tf.


*EVERY MIND HAS ITS SPECIAL CAPACITY.*

I am of the opinion that every mind that comes into the world has its own speciality—is different from every other mind; that each of you brings into the world a certain bias, a disposition to attempt something of its own, something of your own—an aim a little different from that of any of your companions, and that every young man and every young woman is a failure so long as each does not find what is his or her own bias; that just so long as you are influenced by those around you, so long as you are attempting to do those things which you see others do well instead of doing that thing which you can do well, you are so far wrong, so far failing of your own mark. Everybody sees the difference in children. They very early discover their tastes. One has a taste for going abroad, another for staying at home; one for books, another for games; one wishes to hear stories, another wants to see things done; one is fond of drawing, the other cannot draw at all, but he can make a machine. This difference, as you advance, becomes more pronounced. You are more distant in your conception of what you can do—more decided in avoiding things which you cannot and do not wish to do. Now, I can conceive that success is in finding what it is that you really want, and pursuing it; freeing yourself from all importunities of your friends to do something which they like, and insist upon that thing which you like and can do.—*Emerson.*

*CHURCH GOING.*

I often wonder what the true reason is that prompts people to go to church. If I ask a friend the answer invartably is: "Well, because every one goes, and as Rev. Dr. Sprinkers is paid to preach for us, we may as well go and hear him."

My pretty neighbor, Miss Topp, goes because she has a lovely new dress, or because her dear George would be there to escort her home, or to show her beautiful new prayer-book, and make those Scillyton girls die with envy.—Mrs. Cham says she attends divine services because her old aunt asks her to, not from a sense of duty, or for pleasure, but she cannot displease her relation who is exceedingly wealthy and has so far outgrown her usefulness as to render her longevity quite brief.

The young men go to church to see the pretty girls; the girls go to see the young men. Miss Warble is compelled to be there she sings in the choir. Mr. Heavyswell must go he leads the base Now I go, I cannot tell what for, unless I want to "see and be seen," or because I am told to go. I love to hear good music, and I want to see who is there, and what they have on. Thus it is; we all go, but what for? How many can conscientiously answer, "I go to serve the Lord, to humble myself at the foot of the cross, and be one of the followers of Him who was meek and lowly."—Ah! I fear very few can truthfully say, "That is why I go to church."—*Our Fireside Friend*

A BOY'S OPINION OF A CAT.—The *City Item* of Philadelphia has the following beautiful composition by a boy of five years old. His parents think him too smart to live long. "Of all the hairy insects the cat is the animalist. A good cat is hard to die. It has two eyes, a tail, one head on its bow end, and a leg on each outside corner of its body. Its body has four corners, two of which are behind. A cat has kittens, that is, if it is a kitten cat. A T. cat has no kittens to a mews. They eat balls of yarn, and play with mice, but are not so sweet as roses, that is, fresh ones. Some folks like cats, but huckleberry dumplings are better. Father wears a stove-pipe hat on Sunday, and Aunt Polly had twins last summer. A black cat don't chew so much tobacco as a member of Congress, but spits more when he is mad. Syrup of squills will make a cat hum, but turpentine is better for the hair. Mother cut her thumb on a flat iron and laid it to the cat—then father walloped her. I ran behind the hen coop and squatted. The new minister came over to our house yesterday, and sat down with his new trousers in a chair full of young cats. He spiled 'em bad. If I had a red pig to play with I'd lend you my Sunday-school book. Cat has a lap in her mouth. Mother's lap ain't. Did you ever see a cat hold a box of pills on the end of her tail? A sewing-machine runs, but not so easy as a cat. That is all I know of her. THOS. SHINE."

A TOUCHING incident is reported from Chattanooga. An utter stranger called on a respectable farmer, last week, and asked him if his house he had not been robbed during the war. The father replied that it had. "I," said the stranger, "was one of the marauding party that did it. I took a little silver locket." "That locket," said the farmer bursting into tears, "had been worn by my dear, dead child." "Here it is," replied the stranger, visibly affected; "I am rich, let me make a restitution, here is $20 for your little son." He gave the farmer a $50 bill and received $30 in change. He then wrung the farmer's hand warmly and left. The farmer has since dried his tears and loaded his shotgun. The $50 bill was bad.

A VERY TOUGH YARN.—Two Irishmen who were traveling together ran out of money, and being in want of some whisky, devised the following ways and means to obtain it:

Patrick, catching a frog out of a brook, went ahead, and at the very first tavern he came to asked the landlord what sort of a "craitur" that was.

"It is a frog," replied the landlord.

"No, sir," said Pat, "it's a mouse."

"It is a frog," reiterated the landlord.

"It is a mouse," said Pat, "and I will leave it to be decided, for a pint of whisky, by the first traveler that comes along."

"Agreed," said the landlord.

Murphy soon arrived, and to him the appeal was made. After much examination and deliberation he declared it to be a mouse; and the landlord in spite of the evidence of his senses, paid the bet.


**Jas. Forester & Co.**

**EXCLUSIVE WHOLESALE**

DEALERS IN

**DRY GOODS!**

**Woolens, Notions, Etc.**

**Close Cash Buyers**

WILL

**SAVE MONEY**

*By Examining our Stock before Purchasing elsewhere.*

Store: Court House Block, Water st., one door south of Post Office. mid-dly.


*POST OFFICE HOURS.*

Open at 7 A. M.; closes at 7½ P. M.
Open on Sundays from 9 to 10 A. M.

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| Northern Mail | arrives at | 6:00 P. M. |
| " | closes at | 8 P. M. |
| Southern " | arrives at | 6:30 A. M. |
| " | closes at | 4,00 P. M. |
| Eastern " | arrives at | 2:35 P. M. |
| " | closes at | 10:30 A. M. |
| Western " | arrives at | 11:10 P. M. |
| " | closes at | 1.35 P. M. |

Through Eastern mail closes at 8:00 P. M.
Daily through Chicago mail closes at 4:00 P. M.

I. C. PUGH, Postmaster.


**Illinois Central R. R.**

*Trains Pass Decatur:*

*Passenger Trains.*

GOING SOUTH.

2:10 A. M. ..... 5:05 P. M.

GOING NORTH.

5:10 A. M. ..... 5.00 P. M.

*Freight Trains.*

GOING NORTH.

10.30 A. M. ..... 3.05 P. M.

GOING SOUTH.

7.25 A. M. ..... 3:15 P. M.

Close connection made at Vandalia for St. Louis, and at Mendota for Chicago.

A. MITCHELL, Gen. Sup't
F. J. TUCKER, Gen. Ft. Agt., } Chicago
E. M. MISNER, Agent, Decatur.

**T., W. & W. Railway.**

TRAINS LEAVE AND ARRIVE ON AND after Sunday, Nov. 12, 1871, until further notice, as follows:

**WESTWARD.**

MAIL.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Leave | Toledo | 11 15 p. m |
| " | Decatur | 2 35 p. m |
| Arrive | Quincy | 9 25 p. m |
| " | Keokuk | 10 45 p. m |
| " | St. Louis | 7 15 p. m |

EXPRESS.

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| Leave | Toledo | 11 10 a. m |
| " | Decatur | 1 55 a. m |
| Arrive | Quincy | 8 50 a. m |
| " | Keokuk | 10 20 a. m |
| " | St. Louis | 7 10 a. m |

CINCINNATI EXPRESS.

**EASTWARD.**

MAIL.

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| Leave | St. Louis | 7 00 a. m |
| " | Keokuk | 4 35 a. m |
| " | Quincy | 5 15 a. m |
| " | Decatur | 11 50 a. m |
| Arrive | Toledo | 2 15 a. m |

EXPRESS.

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| Leave | St. Louis | 8 30 p. m |
| " | Keokuk | 6 15 p. m |
| " | Quincy | 7 10 p. m |
| " | Decatur | 2 20 a. m |
| Arrive | Toledo | 5 00 p. m |

The following Freight trains will carry passengers with tickets:

Going East ..... 9:00 a. m, and 8:00 p. m.
" West ..... 6:15 " " 2:00 "

**Pekin, Lincoln and Decatur Division.**

Leave Decatur, Mail, West ..... 3 00 p. m
" " Accom " ..... 6 10 a. m
Leave Pekin, Mail, East ..... 7 30 a. m
" " Accom " ..... 4 35 p. m

GEO. H. BURROWS, Gen'l Sup't, Toledo.
JOHN U. PARSONS, Gen'l Tick't Ag't, Toledo
K. HARWOOD, Ticket Agent, Decatur.

Glass Bowls, Goblets, Sets, Pitchers, Cake Stands, etc., large assortment, at

J. H. LEWIS & CO.'S.

*Stereoscopic Instruments and Views just received from E. & T. H. Anthony, N. Y., by*

W. E. WILSON.

May 21-d&w tf

**DR. A. S. WALTZ,**

SURGEON DENTIST, at Macon, Ills. Office with Dr. Tobey, on Main street. Open every day. Operations performed at the lowest rates. Call and see him. Get his prices before going elsewhere.

December 28, 1871—1y.

*A. BROWER BUNN,*

**ATTORNEY AT LAW.**

No. 10 Water Street

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**Chancery Notice.**

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
MACON COUNTY,

Of the July Term of the Macon County Circuit Court, A. D., 1872.

Mattie E. Dresbach vs. Daniel Dresbach, Andrew J. Dresbach, Mary M. Dresbach, Hannah Dresbach, Susanna Roberts, William E. Roberts and Reuben Betzer, Adm'rs of Estate of Elizabeth C. Dresbach.

IN CHANCERY.

AFFIDAVIT of the non-residence of Daniel Dresbach, Hannah Dresbach, Susanna Roberts, and William E. Roberts, of the above named defendants, having been filed in the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of said county, Notice is hereby given to the said Daniel Dresbach, Hannah Dresbach, Susanna Roberts, and William E. Roberts, that the complainant heretofore filed her bill of complaint in said court, on the chancery side thereof, and that a summons thereupon issued out of said court against the said defendants, returnable on the Fourth Monday of July next (1872), as the law requires. Now, unless you, the said Daniel Dresbach and Hannah Dresbach, Susanna Roberts and William E. Roberts, shall personally be and appear before said Circuit Court, on the first day of a term thereof to be held at the Court House in Decatur, in said county, on the

*Fourth Monday of July, A. D., 1872.*

And plead, answer or demur to the said complainant's bill of complaint, the same, and the matters and things therein set forth and charged, will be taken as confessed and a decree entered against you in accordance with the prayer of said bill.

E. McCLELLAN, Clerk.

Decatur, May 9, 1872—w-14.

**ATTACHMENT NOTICE.**

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
MACON COUNTY,

In the Circuit Court to the July term, A. D., 1872.

SAMUEL CLARK, } Attachment.
vs.
MOSES C. HICKS, }

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to the above-named Moses C. Hicks, that a Writ of Attachment dated April 1, 1872, returnable to the next term of the Circuit Court aforesaid, issued out of the office of the Clerk of said Court at the suit of the above-named Samuel Clark, and against the estate of the said Moses C. Hicks, directed to the Sheriff of said county for the sum of One Thousand Dollars; and that the same has been returned executed, and said cause is now pending before the Circuit Court of said Macon county.

Now, unless you, the said Moses C. Hicks, shall appear before said Court, give bail, and plead in said cause by a certain day hereinafter to be fixed by the Judge of said Court, in the next term thereof to be holden at the Court House, in the city of Decatur, in said county aforesaid, commencing on the 22d day of July, A. D., 1872, judgment will be rendered against you, and in favor of the said Samuel Clark, for the said sum of One Thousand Dollars and the costs of this cause; and so much of the property attached by virtue of the said Writ of Attachment as may be necessary will be sold to satisfy said judgment.

Dated May 10, 1872.

E. McCLELLAN, Clerk.

ROBINSON, KNAPP & SHUTT, Plaintiff's Att'ys.

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*W. C. JOHNS,*

**ATTORNEY AT LAW.**

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STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
MACON COUNTY,

In the Circuit Court to the July Term, A. D., 1872.

James W. Routh vs. Mary Wyatt and Jesse Leforgee.

INJUNCTION.

AFFIDAVIT of the non-residence of Mary Wyatt, the above-named defendant, having been filed in the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of Macon county, in said State, notice is hereby given to the said Mary Wyatt, that the complainant has filed his certain bill of complaint in said Circuit Court, on the chancery side thereof, and that summons thereupon issued against you the said Mary Wyatt, returnable on the Fourth Monday in July, A. D., 1872. Now, unless you, the said Mary Wyatt, shall personally be and appear before said Court on the first day of a term thereof to be holden at the Court-House in Decatur, in said Macon county, on the

*Fourth Monday in July, A. D., 1872,*

And plead, answer or demur to said complainant's bill of complaint, the same, and the matters and things therein contained, will be taken *pro confesso* and a decree entered in accordance with the prayer of said bill.

E. McCLELLAN, Clk of Cir. Court.

W. C. JOHNS, Sol. for Compl't.

Decatur, May 9, 1872—w1t.

**ATTACHMENT NOTICE.**

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
MACON COUNTY,

In the Circuit Court to the July term, A. D., 1872.

JAMES J. CRUSMAN, } Attachment.
vs.
GEORGE T. HALL, }

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to the said defendant in the above entitled suit, that the same is now pending in said Court, and that a Writ of Attachment was issued therein from said Court on the 10th day of May, A. D., 1872, at the suit of the said James J. Crusman, against the estate of the said George T. Hall for the sum of One Hundred and Twenty-Seven 53-100 Dollars, returnable on the first day of the next term thereof, to be holden in Decatur, in said county; which said Writ has been returned levied upon the estate of the said George T. Hall; and unless the said George T. Hall shall appear, give bail and plead on the return day of said Writ, judgment will be entered and the estate attached will be sold.

Given under my hand this 13th day of May, A. D., 1872.

E. McCLELLAN, Clerk.

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*W. C. JOHNS,*

**ATTORNEY AT LAW.**

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**Chancery Notice.**

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
MACON COUNTY,

In the Circuit Court to the July Term, A. D., 1872.

Frank Hebenstreit vs. Alois Hildenbrand, Clara Hildenbrand, Veronica Hildenbrand, Augusta Hildenbrand, Ferdinand Hildenbrand, and Lizzie Hildenbrand.

IN CHANCERY.

AFFIDAVIT that the above named defendants, Alois Hildenbrand, Clara Hildenbrand and Veronica Hildenbrand, after due and diligent search, cannot be found in the State of Illinois, so that process can be served upon them, having been filed in the office of the Circuit Clerk of Macon county, in the State of Illinois, notice is hereby given to the said Alois Hildenbrand, Clara Hildenbrand, and Veronica Hildenbrand, that the said Frank Hebenstreit has filed his bill of complaint in the Circuit Court of Macon county, on the chancery side thereof, and that summons has issued, returnable on the Fourth Monday in July, A. D., 1872, as by law required. Now, unless you the said Alois Hildenbrand, Clara Hildenbrand, and Veronica Hildenbrand, shall personally be and appear before said Court on the first day of a term thereof to be holden at the Court-House in Decatur, in said Macon county, on the

*Fourth Monday in July, A. D., 1872,*

And plead, answer or demur to said complainant's bill of complaint, the same, and the matters and things therein contained, will be taken as confessed and a decree will be entered in accordance with the prayer of said bill.

E. McCLELLAN, Clk of Cir. Court.

W. C. JOHNS, Sol. for Compl't.

Decatur, May 9, 1872—w1t.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
MACON COUNTY,

In the Circuit Court to the July term, A. D., 1872.

Daniel H. Elwood, Reuben Wilkinson, and David P. Elwood, partners as Elwood & Co.,
vs.
Paschal K. Hamilton, Louisa Hamilton, John W. Hamilton, James B. Fiske, Augustus Knight, and Lewis F. Houck.

*Foreclosure of Mechanic's Lien.*

AFFIDAVIT of the non-residence of the above-named defendants, James B. Fiske and Augustus Knight, having been filed in the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of said Macon county, notice is hereby given to the said James B. Fiske and Augustus Knight, that the complainants heretofore filed their bill of complaint in said court, on the chancery side thereof, and that a summons thereupon issued out of said court against the above-named defendants, returnable on the Fourth Monday in July next, as is by law required.

Now, unless you, the said James B. Fiske and Augustus Knight, shall personally be and appear before the said Court on the first day of the next term thereof, to be holden at the Court-House in the city of Decatur, in said county, on the

*Fourth Monday in July, A. D., 1872,*

And plead, answer or demur to the said complainants' bill of complaint, the same, and the matters and things therein charged and stated, will be taken as confessed, and a decree entered against you according to the prayer of the said bill.

E. McCLELLAN, Clerk.

CREA & EWING for Compl'ts.

Decatur, May 22, 1872—d1w.

**ATTACHMENT NOTICE.**

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
MACON COUNTY,

In the Circuit Court to the July term, A. D., 1872.

WILLIAM HUMMEL } Attachment.
vs.
AMOS T. HICKMAN, }

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to the above-named Amos T. Hickman, that on the 20th day of May, A. D. 1872, a Writ of Attachment issued out of the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of said Macon county against his estate, at the suit of William Hummel, for the sum of Two Thousand and Seventy-Seven and 58-100 Dollars, directed to the Sheriff of said Macon county; and that the same has been executed.

Now, unless you, the said Amos T. Hickman, shall personally be and appear before said Court on the first day of the next term, to be holden at the Court-House in the city of Decatur, upon the

*22d day of July, A. D. 1872,*

And give bail or plead to the said plaintiff's action within the time limited by said court, judgment will be entered against you and in favor of said William Hummel, and so much of the estate so attached as may be necessary to make the amount of said judgment and costs, will be sold to satisfy the same.

E. McCLELLAN,

Clk of the Circuit Court of Macon Co., Ill.

CREA & EWING, Att'ys for Pl'ff.

May 21, 1872—d1w.

**SHERIFF'S SALE.**

BY VIRTUE OF ONE EXECUTION to me directed and delivered by the Clerk of the Circuit Court of Macon County, Illinois, in favor of Henry Ebert and against Frederick Snyder, I have levied upon the following described property, to-wit: The northeast quarter (¼) of the northeast quarter (¼), except twenty (20) feet off west side, all in section eighteen (18), township sixteen (16), north, range three east, of the third principal meridian. Taken as the property of the said Frederick Snyder which I shall offer at public sale at the west door of the Court-House, in Macon county, in said State, on the 23d day of May, A. D., 1872, between the hours of 10 o'clock, a. m., and 5 o'clock, p. m., of said day; for cash in hand, to satisfy said Execution.

This 30 day of May, A. D. 1872.

GEORGE M. WOOD,
may3-d-tds] Sheriff Macon Co.

**Administrator's Notice.**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the undersigned, Administrator of the Estate of William McKay, Dec'd, late of Macon county, Illinois, will attend before the County Court of said county, in the city of Decatur, on Monday, the 17th day of June, A. D., 1872, for the purpose of settling and adjusting all claims against the Estate of said deceased, when and where all persons holding claims against said deceased are requested to present the same for adjustment. All those indebted are requested to make immediate payment.

PALAIS McCAY,
may9-w6t] Administrator.

**Administrator's Notice.**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the undersigned, Administrator of the Estate of Francis Rogers, dec'd, late of Macon county, Illinois, will attend before the County Court of said county, in the city of Decatur, on Monday, the 17th day of June, A. D., 1872, for the purpose of settling and adjusting all claims against the Estate of said deceased, when and where all persons holding claims against said deceased are requested to present the same for adjustment. All those indebted are requested to make immediate payment.

DAVID P. KELLER,
may2-w6w] Administrator.

**Administrator's Notice**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the undersigned, Administrators of the Estate of Thomas F. Jones, Dec'd, late of Macon county, Illinois, will attend before the County Court of said county, in the city of Decatur, on Monday, the 20th day of May, A. D., 1872, for the purpose of settling and adjusting all claims against the Estate of said deceased, when and where all persons holding claims against said deceased are requested to present the same for adjustment. All those indebted are requested to make immediate payment.

PETER A. JONES,
JESSE GREENFIELD, } Adm'rs,
April 1, 1872-dnw-6w

**$100 Reward** for a case of Neuralgia or Rheumatism of any form whatever, (considered curable by any physician), that *Dr. Fitler's Vegetable Rheumatic Syrup* will not cure—warranted uninjurious, and a physician's prescription.

**$5000 Reward** offered to the Proprietors of any Medicine for Rheumatism and Neuralgia able to produce one-fourth as many genuine living cures within the same period of time as Dr. Fitler's Vegetable Rheumatic Remedy.

**$2000 Reward** offered to any person proving Dr. Jos. P. Fitler, M. D., to be other than a graduate of the celebrated University of Pennsylvania in 1833, and Professor of Chemistry—treating Rheumatism specially for 30 years.

**$1000 Reward** to any Chemist, Physician, or others able to discover Iodide of Potassium, Colchicum, Mercury, or anything injurious to the system in Dr. Fitler's Rheumatic Syrup.

**$250 Reward** for the name of any warranted preparation for Rheumatism and Neuralgia sold under a similar legal guarantee setting forth the exact number of bottles to cure or return the amount paid for same to the patient in case of failure to cure. A full description of cases requiring guarantees to be forwarded by letter to Philadelphia. The guarantee, signed, and stating quantity to cure, will be returned by mail, with advice and instructions, without any charge. Address all letters to Dr. J. P. FITLER, No. 45 South Fourth Street. No other remedy is offered on such terms.

**Medical Advice** sent by letter without charge, from time to time; personal examination in Rheumatic complaints seldom necessary. Sufferers desiring guarantee should obtain direct, or from the agent, blank application to be filled up containing questions to be answered and mailed to Philadelphia, signed by the patient. Dr. Fitler's Rheumatic Remedy is used inwardly only, and is sold by druggists at $1.25 per bottle—six bottles for $6.50. Get a circular, explaining the various forms of Rheumatism, containing prominent testimonials, of the special agent.

Geo. [illegible]

**HUBBARD & SWEARINGEN**

*SOLE AGENTS,*

Decatur, Ill.

Decatur, April 20, 1872—dnw-1y.

*JOHN E. GILBERD,*

HOUSE AND SIGN

**Painter, Grainer, Glazier, &c.**

**DECATUR, ILLINOIS.**

Shop in room formerly occupied by Wm. E. Bingham, No. 28 Merchant Street.

Decatur, Feb. 23, 1871-tf.

**PROFESSIONAL.**

**E. R. ELDRIDGE,**

**ATTORNEY at LAW.**

OFFICE:—Over Dr. Stoner's drug store, No. 11 south side New square. [a21-d1y

W. C. JOHNS,

**Attorney at Law.**

OFFICE: Over Quinlan's Carpet Store, East Main Street. [Apr. 1-dtf

**I. A. BUCKINGHAM,**

ATTORNEY AT LAW.—Office over Hildebrand's Drug Store, Decatur, Ill.

April 13, 1872-dwtf.

**TAKE NOTICE!**

**To Whom it May Concern!**

BY AN ORDER OF THE CITY COUNCIL you are hereby notified to remove

**All Filth, Dirt or Rubbish**

Within ten days from the date hereof, from the ally or street in rear or adjoining your premises, under penalty of the Law made and provided. The following is the Ordinance of the city in such case made:

SECTION 2. Whoever shall throw, place or leave any ashes, dirt, filth, paper or other rubbish, in or upon any street, alley or sidewalk, in front or adjoining any premises owned or occupied by him, under his control, shall be subject to a penalty of not less than two dollars, and to a like penalty for each hour the same may remain after notice to remove the same by the Mayor, the Marshal, the Superintendent, or any Public Officer.

*John W. Haworth,*
City Marshal.

Decatur, April 20, 1872-dtw.

JOHN W. SMITH. ERIC L. STERRETT

**SMITH STERRETT,**

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Aug. 11, 1870-1y

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In great variety, including all sizes and qualities of Day Books, Journals, Ledgers, Order Books, Books for Bills Payable and Receivable, Memorandums, Note, Receipt and Draft Books, at

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THESE PIANOS

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Cheapest Best-class Pianos for sale for Cash or monthly installments. Sold at reduced prices on time to good customers, fully WARRANTED.

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PIANOS TRADED for good Horses or Cash Valuation.

ALSO,

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April 15—dnw-tf

**STOWEL'S AND WARREN'S Patent Hoes at Morehouse & Wells'.**

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**Warren & Durfee**

REAL ESTATE

**DEALERS, BROKERS,**

—AND—

**CONVEYANCERS!**

April 1, 1872—d tf.

**MACON COUNTY TITLE Abstract Office**

THE BOOKS OF THIS OFFICE constitute the Deed and Court Records of the county in brief, transcribed and arranged upon our

"Continuous and Self-Corrective System,"

*Copyrighted A. D. 1864 and 1865.*

The superiority of which has since been attested by its adoption in more than 50 counties in this and adjoining States. We furnish ABSTRACTS of all Conveyances, Mortgages, Wills, Court Decrees, Sales and Redemptions, Judgment Liens and Tax Sales, and all matter that is of Record affecting the Title to every Tract of Land and Town Lot within the county. Also, Abstracts showing the entire recorded real estate interests of any person or estate in the county.

**WARREN & DURFEE.**

April 1, 1872-d tf.

**Reliable Fire Insurance**

NEW YORK

**UNDERWRITERS'**

AGENCY.

Cash Assets January 1, 1872,

*$3,666,242.55.*

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CHICAGO, December 5, 1871.

*To the Officers of the Firemans, Hanover, Niagara and Republic Fire Ins. Co's of New York*

GENTLEMEN:—The course pursued by your Companies in the adjustment and payment of our own claims, and so far as we know, of all claims for losses in the great fire in Chicago, has been so highly honorable, prompt and straightforward, and marked by such apparent desire to deal justly towards all parties, under all circumstances, that we desire volunteerily to acknowledge it to the business public. We consciously use no strong language in the matter, both of the responsibility and the integrity of an Insurance Organization, than years has passed through the late successfully and creditably. With an unimpaired Capital and undiminished responsibility, and a record for equitable settlement, evidently surpassed by none, we congratulate you on the success of future prosperity, to which your actions here have so justly entitled you, and remain,

Yours very respectfully,

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| Field, Leiter & Co. | Geo V Farwell & Co. |
| S C Griggs & Co. | Hayden & Kay. |
| W J Quan & Co. | Farrington, Brewster & Co. |
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| Barnum Bros. | Hart, Aden & Co. |
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| Pull. Car Co. | Sweet, Dempster & Co |
| N Allison & Co. | Edwards, Bluett & Co |
| Keith Brothers. | Biggs, Spencer & Co. |
| Hiram Wheeler. | Hart Brothers. |
| Virgin, Rubbling & Co. | Wight & Stevens. |
| B Kleeman & Co. | M D Wells & Co. |
| Walker | Oakley & Co. |

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*WARREN & DURFEE,*

AGENTS, DECATUR, ILL.

April 1, 1872-d-tf.

**CONTINENTAL INSURANCE CO.**

OF NEW YORK CITY,

Devoted Exclusively to Fire Insurance.

*Cash Capital,*

**One Million Dollars!**

*Assets January 1, 1872,*

**$2,509,526.00.**

*Losses in Chicago Fire Paid*

***$1,485,888.***

—o—

**Warren & Durfee**

AGENTS.

April 1, 1872—d-tf.

**Insurance Company OF NORTH AMERICA,**

*PHILADELPHIA.*

*ORGANIZED A. D. 1794.*

OLDEST INSURANCE CO. IN AMERICA.

*Cash Assets, January 1, 1872,*

***$3,212,176.***

The OLD NORTH AMERICA commenced business April 12th, 1794, has since been in SUCCESSFUL and UNINTERRUPTED operation for 78 years.

*Losses in the Chicago Fire paid,*

***$580,000 00.***

And continues to offer its services to those seeking RELIABLE INDEMNITY against loss by fire.

☞ For Policies in the above Sterling Old Company apply to

WARREN & DURFEE, Agents.

April 1, 1872-d-tf.

**FOR SALE!**

**BUSINESS PROPERTY.**

A THREE STORY BRICK on the Old Square. A first-rate property, that can be bought low if applied for soon. Apply to WARREN & DURFEE.

**RESIDENCE LOTS.**

LOT 10, block 4, North addition, cor. Union and Edmund sts; size, 70x170 feet. Apply to WARREN & DURFEE.

ON the corner of William and College sts; size, 95x140 feet. A very desirable and convenient location; offered at a great sacrifice. Apply to WARREN & DURFEE.

IN Durfee & King's addition—lot 7, block 4 —fronting on Church st. A good lot, at a reasonable price. Apply to WARREN & DURFEE.

NOS. 8 AND 9, P. B. Shepherd's 2nd addition, fronting on William st., between Monroe and Pine sts.; lot 8, 81 feet front, lot 9, 10 feet front, depth, 120 feet. Price, together, $850, can be had on long time, with a reasonable payment down. Also,

LOTS 16 and 17, block 1, Thompson's 1st addition, fronting on Monroe st., just west of the Mound; size, 50x123 feet, each. Will be sold together at $150, or $250 for either lot. Apply to WARREN & DURFEE.

**DWELLING PROPERTY.**

OFFERED VERY LOW, if sold soon; situated on the corner of College and South Macon sts., comprising two lots, fronting 132 feet on both streets. 1½ story dwelling, five rooms, summer kitchen, well, cistern and cellar, and a good-sized stable. Apply to WARREN & DURFEE.

LOTS 1 and 2, block 9, Smith & Co.'s addition, on Condit street, between Morgan and Broadway; size, 99x132 feet; one story frame house, 4 rooms and cellar. Improvements nearly new. Can be had for $1,000. WARREN & DURFEE.

LOTS 17 and 18, block 12, Culver's addition, comprising 80 feet; situated on North Macon st., east of Chestnut st.; a new frame house of 2 rooms; lots fenced. Can be had for $ 30, part on time. WARREN & DURFEE.

FIVE HOUSES, in Pedicord & Burrowes' addition, convenient to depot, Agricultural Works and Rolling Mill, all well constructed and in good repair. Will be sold low for cash, or on time to suit purchasers. WARREN & DURFEE.

ALSO, a large two story building suitable for a boarding house, situated in block 4, Pedicord & Burrowes's addition. For sale by WARREN & DURFEE.

A COMFORTABLE story and a half house, 7 rooms, good cellar, well, cistern and new stable—all in good repair; lot 50x160 ft, fronting on Williams st; very convenient to the business part of town. Will be sold very reasonable. Apply to WARREN & DURFEE.

SITUATED on West Wood st., lot 5, block 8, in Southwestern addition; 70 feet front, depth 150 feet. Story house with basement, 7 rooms; well, cistern and stable. Offered at a very low price. Apply to WARREN & DURFEE.

SITUATED on the corner of Prairie and Collegeats., comprising 100 feet front on both streets; frame dwelling, 6 rooms, cellar, well and cistern, variety of fruit on premises. A good property in a very desirable location. Apply to WARREN & DURFEE.

LOT 1, block 1, Robinson's addition; situated on the corner of Green and College sts. Apply to WARREN & DURFEE.

April 26, 1872 d-tf.

THE

**Railway Passengers' Assurance Co.,**

OF HARTFORD, CONN.

Issues tickets of Insurance against

**ACCIDENT.**

**Cash Capital, $300,000.**

*J. G. BATTERSON, President,*
*C. D. PALMER, Secretary*

**RATES**

Of Registered Accident Tickets. Insuring $1,000 in the event of Death, or $5,00 Weekly Indemnity for Total Disability.

| | | | |
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| One Day, | 25 Cents. | Five Days, | $1,25 |
| Two Days, | 50 Cents | Ten Days, | 2,50 |
| | Thirty Days, | $5,00. | |

*Women Insured Against Death Only.*

**Warren & Durfee**

AGENTS.

April 1, 1872-d-tf.

THE

**HARTFORD FIRE Insurance Comp'y,**

HARTFORD, CONN.,

CHARTERED, - - - 1810

*CASH CAPITAL,*

**One Million Dollars.**

*Assets January 1, 872,*

**$2,942,071.18.**

☞ Devoted solely to Insurance AGAINST LOSS OR DAMAGE BY FIRE.

**WARREN & DURFEE AGENTS.**

April 1, 1872-d-tf.

*SPRINGFIELD*

FIRE AND MARINE

**INSURANCE CO.**

OF SPRINGFIELD, MASS

*CASH CAPITAL, $5,000.00*

Total Assets, Jan. 1, 1872,

**$1,085,606.00.**

*Losses in Chicago Fire paid,* $500,000!

☞ Full line upon desirable risks accepted at reasonable rates.

WARREN & DURFEE, Agents.

April 1, 1872—d-tf.


***EVERY MIND HAS ITS SPECIAL CAPACITY.***

I am of the opinion that every mind that comes into the world has its own speciality—is different from every other mind; that each of you brings into the world a certain bias, a disposition to attempt something of its own, something of your own—an aim a little different from that of any of your companions, and that every young man and every young woman is a failure so long as each does not find what is his or her own bias; that just so long as you are influenced by those around you, so long as you are attempting to do those things which you see others do well instead of doing that thing which you can do well, you are so far wrong, so far failing of your own mark. Everybody sees the difference in children. They very early discover their tastes. One has a taste for going abroad, another for staying at home; one for books, another for games; one wishes to hear stories, another wants to see things done; one is fond of drawing, the other cannot draw at all, but he can make a machine. This difference, as you advance, becomes more pronounced. You are more distant in your conception of what you can do—more decided in avoiding things which you cannot and do not wish to do. Now, I can conceive that success is in finding what it is that you really want, and pursuing it; freeing yourself from all importunities of your friends to do something which they like, and insist upon that thing which you like and can do.—*Emerson.*

***CHURCH GOING.***

I often wonder what the true reason is that prompts people to go to church. If I ask a friend the answer invariably is: "Well, because every one goes, and as Rev. Dr. Sprinkers is paid to preach for us, we may as well go and hear him."

My pretty neighbor, Miss Topp, goes because she has a lovely new dress, or because her dear George would be there to escort her home, or to show her beautiful new prayer-book, and make those Scillyton girls die with envy.—Mrs. Clum says she attends divine services because her old aunt asks her to, not from a sense of duty, or for pleasure, but she cannot displease her relation who is exceedingly wealthy and has so far outgrown her usefulness as to render her longevity quite brief.

The young men go to church to see the pretty girls; the girls go to see the young men. Miss Warble is compelled to be there she sings in the choir. Mr. Heavyswell must go he leads the base Now I go, I cannot tell what for, unless I want to "see and be seen," or because I am told to go. I love to hear good music, and I want to see who is there, and what they have on. Thus it is; we all go, but what for? How many can conscientiously answer, "I go to serve the Lord, to humble myself at the foot of the cross, and be one of the followers of Him who was meek and lowly."—Ah! I fear very few can truthfully say, "That is why I go to church."—*One Fireside Friend*

A BOY'S OPINION OF A CAT.—The *City Item* of Philadelphia has the following beautiful composition by a boy of five years old. His parents think him too smart to live long. "Of all the hairy insects the cat is the animalist. A good cat is hard to die. It has two eyes, a tail, one head on its bow end, and a leg on each outside corner of its body. Its body has four corners, two of which are behind. A cat has kittens, that is, if it is a kitten cat. A T, cat has no kittens to a mews. They eat balls of yarn, and play with mice, but are not so sweet as roses, that is, fresh ones. Some folks like cats, but huckleberry dumplings are better. Father wears a stove-pipe hat on Sunday, and Aunt Polly had twins last summer. A black cat don't chew so much tobacco as a member of Congress, but spits more when he is mad. Syrup of squills will make a cat hum, but turpentine is better for the hair. Mother cut her thumb on a flat iron and laid it to the cat—then father walloped her. I ran behind the hen coop and squatted. The new minister came over to our house yesterday, and sat down with his new trousers in a chair full of young cats. He spiled 'em bad. If I had a red pig to play with I'd lend you my Sunday-school book. Cat has a lap in her mouth. Mother's lap ain't. Did you ever see a cat hold a box of pills on the end of her tail? A sewing-machine runs, but not so easy as a cat. That is all I know of her. THOS. SHINE."

A TOUCHING incident is reported from Chattanooga. An utter stranger called on a respectable farmer, last week, and asked him if his house he had been robbed during the war. The father replied that it had. "I," said the stranger, "was one of the marauding party that did it. I took a little silver locket." "That locket," said the farmer bursting into tears, "had been worn by my dear, dead child." "Here it is," replied the stranger, visibly affected; "I am rich, let me make a restitution, here is $20 for your little son." He gave the farmer a $50 bill and received $30 in change. He then wrung the farmer's hand warmly and left. The farmer has since dried his tears and loaded his shotgun. The $50 bill was bad.

A VERY TOUGH YARN.—Two Irishmen who were traveling together ran out of money, and being in want of some whisky, devised the following ways and means to obtain it:

Patrick, catching a frog out of a brook, went ahead, and at the very first tavern he came to asked the landlord what sort of a "craitur" that was.

"It is a frog," replied the landlord.

"No, sir," said Pat, "it's a mouse."

"It is a frog," reiterated the landlord.

"It is a mouse," said Pat, "and I will leave it to be decided, for a pint of whisky, by the first traveler that comes along."

"Agreed," said the landlord.

Murphy soon arrived, and to him the appeal was made. After much examination and deliberation he declared it to be a mouse; and the landlord in spite of the evidence of his senses, paid the bet.


**Jas. Forester & Co.**

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**DRY GOODS!**

Woolens, Notions, Etc.

**Close Cash Buyers**

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***By Examining our Stock before Purchasing elsewhere.***

☞ Store: Court House Block, Water st., one door south of Post Office. m14-dly.


***POST OFFICE HOURS.***

Open all 7 A. M.; closes at 7½ P. M.
Open on Sundays from 9 to 10 A. M.

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| Northern Mail | arrives at 6:00 P. M. | |
| " | " closes at 8 P. M. | |
| Southern " | " arrives at 6:30 P. M. | |
| " | " closes at 4:00 P. M. | |
| Eastern " | " arrives at 2:35 P. M. | |
| " | " closes at 10:30 A. M. | |
| Western " | " arrives at 11:10 P. M. | |
| " | " closes at 1:35 P. M. | |

Through Eastern mail closes at 8:00 P. M.
☞ Daily through Chicago mail closes at 2:00 P. M.

I. C. PUGH, Postmaster.


**Illinois Central R. R.**

*Trains Pass Decatur:*

*Passenger Trains.*

GOING SOUTH.

2:10 A. M. ..... 5:05 P. M.

GOING NORTH.

5:10 A. M. ..... 5.00 P. M.

*Freight Trains.*

GOING NORTH.

10.30 A. M. ..... 3.05 P. M.

GOING SOUTH.

7.25 A. M. ..... 3:15 P. M.

Close connection made at Vandalia for St. Louis, and at Mendota for Chicago.

A. MITCHELL, Gen. Sup't } Chicago
F. J. TUCKER, Gen. Ft. Agt., } Chicago
E. M. MISNER, Agent, Decatur.

**T., W. & W. Railway.**

TRAINS LEAVE AND ARRIVE ON AND after Sunday, Nov. 12, 1871, until further notice, as follows:

**WESTWARD.**

MAIL.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Leave | Toledo | 11 15 p. m |
| " | Decatur | 2 35 p. m |
| Arrive | Quincy | 9 25 p. m |
| " | Keokuk | 10 45 p. m |
| " | St. Louis | 7 35 p. m |

EXPRESS.

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| Leave | Toledo | 11 10 a. m |
| " | Decatur | 1 55 a. m |
| Arrive | Quincy | 8 50 a. m |
| " | Keokuk | 10 20 a. m |
| " | St. Louis | 7 10 a. m |

CINCINNATI EXPRESS.

**EASTWARD.**

MAIL.

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|---|---|---|
| Leave | St. Louis | 7 00 a. m |
| " | Keokuk | 4 35 a. m |
| " | Quincy | 5 15 a. m |
| " | Decatur | 11 50 a. m |
| Arrive | Toledo | 2 15 a. m |

EXPRESS.

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|---|---|---|
| Leave | St. Louis | 8 30 p. m |
| " | Keokuk | 6 15 p. m |
| " | Quincy | 7 10 p. m |
| " | Decatur | 2 20 a. m |
| Arrive | Toledo | 5 00 p. m |

☞ The following Freight trains will carry passengers with tickets:

Going East ..... 9:00 a. m., and 8:00 p. m.
" West ..... 6:15 " " 2:00 "

**Pekin, Lincoln and Decatur Division.**

Leave Decatur, Mail, West ..... 3 00 p. m
" " Accom " ..... 6 10 a. m
Leave Pekin, Mail, East ..... 7 20 a. m
" Accom " ..... 4 35 p. m

GEO. H. BURROWS, Gen'l Sup't, Toledo.
JOHN C. PARSONS, Gen'l Ticket Ag't, Toledo
K. HARWOOD, Ticket Agent, Decatur.

Glass Bowls, Goblets, Sets, Pitchers, Cake Stands, etc., large assortment, at

J. H. LEWIS & CO.'S.

***Stereoscopic Instruments and Views just received from E. & T. H. Anthony, N. Y., by***

W. E. WILSON.

May 21-d&w tf

**DR. A. S. WALTZ,**

SURGEON DENTIST, at Macon, Ills. Office with Dr. Tobey, on Main street. Open every day. Operations performed at the lowest rates. Call and see him. Get his prices before going elsewhere.

December 28, 1871—1y.

*A. BROWER BUNN,*

**ATTORNEY AT LAW.**

No. 10 Water Street

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**Chancery Notice.**

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
MACON COUNTY,

Of the July Term of the Macon County Circuit Court, A. D., 1872.

Mattie E. Dresbach vs. Daniel Dresbach, Andrew J. Dresbach, Mary M. Dresbach, Hannah Dresbach, Susanna Roberts, William E. Roberts and Reuben Betzer, Adm'rs of Estate of Elizabeth C. Dresbach.

IN CHANCERY.

AFFIDAVIT of the non-residence of Daniel Dresbach, Hannah Dresbach, Susanna Roberts, and William E. Roberts, of the above named defendants, having been filed in the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of said county. Notice is hereby given to the said Daniel Dresbach, Hannah Dresbach, Susanna Roberts, and William E. Roberts, that the complainant heretofore filed her bill of complaint in said court, on the chancery side thereof, and that a summons thereupon issued out of said court against the said defendants, returnable on the Fourth Monday of July next (1872), as the law requires. Now, unless you, the said Daniel Dresbach and Hannah Dresbach, Susanna Roberts and William E. Roberts, shall personally be and appear before said Circuit Court on the first day of a term thereof to be held at the Court House in Decatur, in said county, on the

*Fourth Monday of July, A. D., 1872.*

And plead, answer or demur to the said complainant's bill of complaint, the same, and the matters and things therein set forth and charged, will be taken as confessed and a decree entered against you in accordance with the prayer of said bill.

E. McCLELLAN, Clerk.

Decatur, May 9, 1872—w-14.

**ATTACHMENT NOTICE.**

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
MACON COUNTY,

In the Circuit Court to the July term, A. D., 1872.

SAMUEL CLARK, } Attachment.
vs.
MOSES C. HICKS, }

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to the above-named Moses C. Hicks, that a Writ of Attachment dated April 3, 1872, in favor of said Clark, and against the estate of said Moses C. Hicks, directed to the Sheriff of said county, for the sum of One Thousand Dollars; and that the same has been returned executed and said cause is now pending before the Circuit Court of said Macon county.

Now, unless you, the said Moses C. Hicks, shall appear before said Court, give bail, and plead in said cause by a certain day hereinafter to be fixed by the Judge of said Court, in the next term thereof to be holden at the Court House, in the city of Decatur and county of said county, commencing on the 22d day of July, A. D., 1872, judgment will be rendered against you, and in favor of the said Samuel Clark, for the said sum of One Thousand Dollars and the costs of this cause; and so much of the property attached by virtue of the said Writ of Attachment as may be necessary will be sold to satisfy said judgment.

Dated May 10, 1872.

E. McCLELLAN, Clerk.

ROBINSON, KNAPP & SHUTT, Plaintiff's Att'ys.

may16-w11

*W. C. JOHNS,*

**ATTORNEY AT LAW.**

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STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
MACON COUNTY,

In the Circuit Court to the July Term, A. D., 1872.

James W. North vs. Mary Wyatt and Jesse Lelorgeo.

INJUNCTION.

AFFIDAVIT of the non-residence of Mary Wyatt, the above-named defendant, having been filed in the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of Macon county, in said State, notice is hereby given to the said Mary Wyatt, that the complainant has filed his certain bill of complaint in said Circuit Court, on the chancery side thereof, and that summons thereupon issued against you the said Mary Wyatt, returnable on the Fourth Monday in July, A. D., 1872. Now, unless you, the said Mary Wyatt, shall personally be and appear before said Court on the first day of a term thereof to be holden at the Court-House in Decatur, in said Macon county, on the

*Fourth Monday in July, A. D., 1872,*

And plead, answer or demur to said complainant's bill of complaint, the same, and the matters and things therein charged and stated, will be taken as confessed, and a decree entered against you according to the prayer of the said bill.

E. McCLELLAN, Clerk.

CREA & EWING for Complt's.

Decatur, May 22, 1872—d1w.

**$100 Reward** for a case of Neuralgia or Rheumatism of any form whatever, (regardless of cause) that Dr. Fitler's Vegetable Rheumatic Syrup will not cure—warranted uninjurious, and a physician's prescription.

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**Medical Advice** sent by letter without charge, from time to time; personal examination in Rheumatic complaints seldom necessary. Sufferers desiring guarantee should obtain direct, or from the agent, blank application to be filled up containing questions to be answered and mailed to Philadelphia, signed by the patient. Dr. Fitler's Rheumatic Remedy is used inwardly only, and is sold by druggists at $1.25 per bottle—six bottles for $6.50. Get a circular, explaining the various forms of Rheumatism, containing prominent testimonials, of the special agent.

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Decatur, April 20, 1872—daw-1y.

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W. C. JOHNS,

**Attorney at Law.**

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ATTORNEY AT LAW.—Office over Hilde brandt's Drug Store, Decatur, Ill.

April 13, 1872-dwtf.

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BY AN ORDER OF THE CITY COUNCIL, you are hereby notified to remove

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Within ten days from the date hereof, from the alley or street in rear or adjoining your premises, under penalty of the Law made and provided. The following is the Ordinance of the city in such case made:

SECTION 2. Whoever shall throw, place or leave any ashes, dirt, filth, paper or other rubbish, in or upon any street, alley or sidewalk, in front or adjoining any premises owned or occupied by him, under his control, shall be subject to a penalty of not less than two dollars, and to a like penalty for each hour the same may remain after notice to remove the same by the Mayor, the Marshal, the Supervisor, or any Public Officer.

*John W. Haworth,*
City Marshal.

Decatur, April 20, 1872-dtw.

JOHN W. SMITH. ERIC J. STERRETT

**SMITH STERRETT,**

ATTORNEYS AT LAW.—Office No. 22 North Water street, Decatur, Ill.

Aug. 11, 1870-1y


**ATTACHMENT NOTICE.**

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
MACON COUNTY,

In the Circuit Court to the July term, A. D., 1872.

Daniel H. Elwood, Reuben Wilkinson, and David P. Elwood, partners as Elwood & Co.,
vs.
Paschal K. Hamilton, Louisa Hamilton, John W. Hamilton, James B. Fiske, Augustus Knight, and Lewis P. Houck.

*Foreclosure of Mechanic's Lien.*

AFFIDAVIT of the non-residence of the above-named defendants, James B. Fiske and Augustus Knight, having been filed in the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of said Macon county, notice is hereby given to the said James B. Fiske and Augustus Knight, that the complainants heretofore filed their bill of complaint in said court, on the chancery side thereof, and that a summons thereupon issued out of said court against the above-named defendants, returnable on the Fourth Monday in July next, as is by law required.

Now, unless you, the said James B. Fiske and Augustus Knight, shall personally be and appear before the said Court on the first day of the next term thereof, to be holden at the Court-House in the city of Decatur, in said county, on the

*Fourth Monday in July, A. D., 1872,*

And plead, answer or demur to the said complainants' bill of complaint, the same, and the matters and things therein charged and stated, will be taken as confessed, and a decree entered against you according to the prayer of the said bill.

E. McCLELLAN, Clerk.

CREA & EWING for Complt's.

Decatur, May 22, 1872—d1w.

**ATTACHMENT NOTICE.**

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
MACON COUNTY,

In the Circuit Court to the July term, A. D., 1872.

JAMES J. CRUSMAN, } Attachment.
vs.
GEORGE T. HALL, }

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to the said defendant in the above entitled suit, that the same is now pending in said Court, and that a Writ of Attachment was issued therein from said Court, on the 10th day of May, A. D., 1872, at the suit of the said James J. Crusman, against the estate of the said George T. Hall for the sum of One Hundred and Twenty-Seven 53-100 Dollars, returnable on the first day of the next term thereof, to be holden in Decatur, in said county; which said Writ has been returned levied upon the estate of the said George T. Hall; and unless the said George T. Hall shall appear, give bail and plead on the return day of said Writ, judgment will be entered and the estate attached will be sold.

Given under my hand this 13th day of May, A. D., 1872.

E. McCLELLAN, Clerk.

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*W. C. JOHNS,*

**ATTORNEY AT LAW.**

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**Chancery Notice.**

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
MACON COUNTY,

In the Circuit Court to the July Term, A. D., 1872.

Frank Hebenstreit et. vs. Alois Hildenbrand, Clara Hildenbrand, Veronica Hildenbrand, Augusta Hildenbrand, Ferdinand Hildenbrand, and Lizzie Hildenbrand.

IN CHANCERY.

AFFIDAVIT that the above named defendants, Alois Hildenbrand, Clara Hildenbrand and Veronica Hildenbrand, after due and diligent search, cannot be found in the State of Illinois, so that process can be served upon them, having been filed in the office of the Circuit Clerk of Macon county, in the State of Illinois, notice is hereby given to the said Alois Hildenbrand, Clara Hildenbrand, and Veronica Hildenbrand, that the said Frank Hebenstreit has filed his bill of complaint in the Circuit Court of Macon county, on the chancery side thereof, and that summons has issued, returnable on the Fourth Monday in July, A. D., 1872, as by law required. Now, unless you the said Alois Hildenbrand, Clara Hildenbrand, and Veronica Hildenbrand, shall personally be and appear before said Court on the first day of a term thereof to be holden at the Court-House in Decatur, in said Macon county, on the

*Fourth Monday in July, A. D., 1872,*

And plead, answer or demur to said complainant's bill of complaint, the same, and the matters and things therein said bill charged and contained, will be taken as confessed and a decree will be entered in accordance with the prayer of said bill.

E. McCLELLAN, Clk of Cir. Court.

W. C. JOHNS, Sol. for Compl't.

Decatur, May 9, 1872—w11.

**Administrator's Sale.**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the undersigned, Administrator of the Estate of William Mills, Dec'd, late of Macon county, will attend before the County Court of said county, in the city of Decatur, on Monday, the 20th day of May, A. D., 1872, for the purpose of selling and adjusting all claims against the Estate of said deceased, when and where all persons holding claims against said deceased are requested to present the same for adjustment. All those indebted are requested to make immediate payment.

C. H. GARVER,
Administrator.

May8-w6w.

**Administrator's Notice.**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the undersigned, Administrator of the Estate of William McKay, Dec'd, late of Macon county, Illinois, will attend before the county Court of said county, at the city of Decatur, on Monday, the 17th day of June, A. D., 1872, for the purpose of settling and adjusting all claims against the Estate of said deceased, when and where all persons holding claims against said deceased are requested to present the same for adjustment. All those indebted are requested to make immediate payment.

DAVID P. KELLER,
Administrator.

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**Administrator's Notice**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the undersigned, Administrators of the Estate of Thomas F. Jones, Dec'd, late of Macon county, Illinois, will attend before the County Court of said county, in the city of Decatur, on Monday, the 20th day of May, A. D., 1872, for the purpose of settling and adjusting all claims against the Estate of said deceased, when and where all persons holding claims against said deceased are requested to present the same for adjustment. All those indebted are requested to make immediate payment.

JESSE GUIDENFIELD, } Adm'rs.
April 1, 1872-dw-6w.


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DECATUR, ILLINOIS:

Tuesday Evening, May 28.


## REPUBLICAN STATE TICKET.

*For Governor,*
RICHARD J. OGLESBY,
OF MACON.

*For Lieutenant Governor,*
JOHN L. BEVERIDGE,
OF COOK.

*For Auditor,*
CHARLES E. LIPPINCOTT,
OF CASS.

*For Secretary of State,*
GEORGE H. HARLOW,
OF TAZEWELL.

*For Treasurer,*
EDWARD RUTZ,
OF ST. CLAIR.

*For Attorney-General,*
JAMES K. EDSALL,
OF LEE.

*Clerk of Supreme Court — Central Grand Division,*
E. C. HAMBURGER,
OF ADAMS.

*Presidential Electors:*

*At Large*—HENRY GREENEBAUM, of Cook Co. DAVID T. LINEGAR, of Alexander.

1st District—CHAUNCEY T. BOWEN,
2d District—LESTER L. BOND.
3d District—MARION D. OGDEN,
4th District—RICHARD L. DEVINE.
5th District—JAMES SHAW.
6th District—NORMAN H. RYAN,
7th District—IRUS COY.
8th District—JOSEPH J. CAMEL.
9th District—WM. SHELDEN GALE.
10th District—W. D. HENDERSON.
11th District—MOSES M. BANE.
12th District—M. H. CHAMBERLAIN.
13th District—HUGH FULLERTON.
14th District—MARTIN B. THOMPSON.
15th District—J. W. WILKIN.
16th District—JOHN P. VAN DORSTON.
17th District—JOHN H. YEAGER.
18th District—JOHN DOUGHERTY.
19th District—WILLIAM H. ROBINSON.

AND now the free trade bolters from the Republican party have bolted Cincinnati. They have issued a call for a meeting at Steinway Hall on the 30th inst., at which W. C. Bryant will preside, and addresses will be delivered by D. A. Wells, Edward Atkinson and others. The call recites that the commitment by the Cincinnati Convention of tariff reform to Congressional districts was an evasion of the issue, and has absolved free traders from any obligations to support the nominees of that convention, and it gives to them liberty to support any other ticket. The call looks directly to an organization for the accomplishment of tariff reform in the coming Presidential election.

FROM one end of the State to the other comes the response of the loyal press to the action of the Republican State Convention. It is united, enthusiastic, confident. We wish we had room to transfer to our columns what our contemporaries say of the gathering and of the ticket, which has been put in nomination, but we have not. They all concede, while there may here and there be local disappointments, that a stronger or more popular ticket could not have been agreed upon. The party is thoroughly united in their support; and there need be no fears but that they will be elected by the usual overwhelming majority.

SENATOR FERRY, of Connecticut, who was re-elected a few days since, has treated the "Liberals" very shabbily. They heralded his election over Gov. Hawley as a great anti-administration triumph. Since then, Mr. Ferry has written a letter in which he says he is not fully satisfied with all the acts of the administration, but he is heartily in favor of Grant in preference to Greeley or any democrat. He regards the "philosopher's" nomination a blunder which almost amounts to a crime. There ain't so much laughing on the back seats among the "Liberals" just now, for they think that kind of a Ferry will not prove very reliable in an emergency like the present.

THE "Liberal" supporters of Horace Greeley are falling off like leaves in wintry weather. Carl Schurz is going to Europe, Stanley Mathews raises the standard of revolt; and now comes David A. Wells and E. Atkinson, with the free trade stone which the builders rejected, to hurl at him. Meanwhile his Democratic allies are quarreling over his white coat, as if it were a golden fleece.

A Liberal paper announces triumphantly that "all the distinguished journalists who edit post-offices are for Ulysses," and it might have added, with greater truth, that all the disappointed aspirants for such positions are for Horace.

DR. GREELEY has written a letter to the secretary of a Western Greeley club, in which he says: "I have some experience in white hats. To prevent the ravages of the moth upon this important institution, first catch the moth, cover it with a thick coating of gum shellac and feed it upon clippings from a Merino calf. Whoever says this is an infringement on any patent is a liar."

# TELEGRAPHIC.

[Reported Expressly for the Daily Republican.]

## Railroad Collision in New Jersey.

### Report of the Committee of Seventy on the Tammany Frauds.

### THE WHITEHOUSE-CHENEY CONTROVERSY AGAIN IN THE COURTS.

### RED CLOUD IN WASHINGTON

### PROBABILITY OF AN EXTRA SESSION OF CONGRESS.

### Congressional News.

### TERRIBLE OUTRAGE NEAR TAYLORVILLE.

### MARKETS. ETC.

[Special Dispatch to the Daily Republican.]

TAYLORVILLE, May 28.—There is great excitement here just now. A negro from Massachusetts tried to commit a rape on a young girl this morning, about 2½ miles west of here. Failing to accomplish his hellish design, he drew a knife and attempted to take her life by cutting her throat, but not injuring her very seriously. The girl will live, but the negro's chances are slim, as there is a mob of about two thousand around the jail.

## *FROM NEW YORK.*

NEW YORK, May 28.—Yesterday morning a collision occurred between two trains on the New Jersey and New Jersey Central railroad crossing, at Elizabeth, N J. The cause of the accident was the failure of the air-brake on the Philadelphia train, allowing it to run into the rear of the train preceding it, which was stopping at the depot. Several persons were seriously injured. The place where the accident happened is the most dangerous crossing on the road.

The reform committee of seventy have submitted their report to the reform counsel, in which they review the work done by their committee. In their report they complain of the lobby at Albany, by which, during the last session of the legislature, every measure of reform had been defeated. Their report also contains a recommendation that every effort be used at their next election to elect a governor of the State who is in sympathy with the reform movement. The committee's report has not yet been made public, but it is stated that, besides recommending the election of a reform governor, it presents figures and facts showing that over a million and a half of dollars on fraudulent warrants on city affairs had been signed by Alderman Thomas Cowan, during the last six months of 1868, while Gov. Hoffman was temporarily absent from his office of Mayor. It is also stated that the committee's report contains a statement showing than Cowan had signed fraudulent warrants for large amounts while occupying the Mayor's chair, after Hoffman's election as governor. The report of the committee has made a decided sensation. After other business the meeting of the committee was declared adjourned without day, subject to the call of the chairman.

A special meeting of the bar association will be held to-night, when it is expected that the present condition of the State courts, and other important questions will be discussed. Mr. Tilden will preside and address them.

The *Tribune's* Washington special says the mint and coinage bill, which passed the House yesterday is substantially identical with that reported and and discussed at length, and it is intended as a complete and thorough codification of all existing statutes relating to the subject. The Senate some time since passed a similar bill, and is expected to agree to this without much change.

The difficulty between the Union and Kansas Pacific Railroads, in regard to the price of transportation west of Cheyenne, and which has been the subject of several hearings by the House committee on Pacific railroads, will be dismissed by the committee without action and referred to the companies for mutual settlement.

## *FROM IOWA.*

DAVENPORT, May 28.—A German pauper named Theissen, an inmate of the county house, hanged himself outside of a window of that establishment on yesterday, with a strap around his neck When discovered by another inmate, who cut the strap, the body fell forty feet, down into the cellar. The man was said to have been nearly or quite simple-minded.

## *FROM WASHINGTON.*

WASHINGTON, May 27.—The Sioux Indian delegation held a council to-day with Secretary Delano. Red Cloud, Red Dog and other chiefs made speeches The speeches of the different chiefs lasted altogether fully one hour, but the principal points were a desire to remain at peace and a request of presents of guns, ammunitions, horses, etc., and better facilities for receiving their supplies sent to the agency.

When the Indians had concluded, Secretary Delano spoke briefly to them, saying he was glad to welcome the chiefs and braves, and to hear that they were friendly. They were informed that the Commissioner of Indian Affairs will provide for them some horses which they will receive when they go back, and will let them have more ammunition as their agents shall advise. The chiefs will also have some guns given them, and will be provided with some money for their expenses. While here the Indians seemed much gratified with the remarks of Secretary Delano. They will call on the President to-morrow.

By order of the President, several of the departments will be closed on the 30th, to allow the employes to participate in the ceremony of decorating the soldiers' graves.

WASHINGTON, May 27.—There are multiplying rumors to-day of an extra session next week, or soon after—not of the Senate for consideration of the proposed supplemental treaty with Great Britain, but of Congress for the transaction of ordinary legislative business.

Senator Chandler, who has for some time had the river and harbor appropriation bill ready to report to the Senate, holds it back for some unexplained reason. Senator Conkling intimated to Senator Cole very plainly, in debate today, that there were other matters of more importance than appropriation bills, which must be disposed of before the adjournment, and General Butler said, positively, in conversation this afternoon, that an adjournment on Monday next was impossible.

The resolution of the House extending the session until June 3d was passed in good faith by the united votes of Republicans and Democrats, with the understanding that the Senate would accept it and work steadily up to that date, completing its business within the time.

To-morrow Senator Sherman's resolution, to which Chandler so vigorously objected to-day, will be taken up, and its disposition will afford conclusive evidence of the temper of the Senate, and its intention upon adjournment.

The object of an extra session is well understood in all quarters to be the passage of the Ku-Klux bill by the House.

WASHINGTON, May 27.—The Senate to-day took up the tariff bill and worked on it till late to-night, evincing a general inclination to follow the lead of the Finance Committee. Almost every amendment reported by the committee has been thus far agreed to, but debate is unlimited and progress slow. To-morrow Mr. Sherman will endeavor to have the five-minute rule of debate applied. The bill cannot possibly be sent to the Conference Committee before Thursday, or probable Friday.

Mr. Dawes to-day offered a resolution in the House, which was passed, rescinding the resolution to adjourn on the 29th, and fixing the time on June 3d. This will probably be concurred in by the Senate, as otherwise the former date will be binding. However, the Senate will keep back the appropriation bill till the last, and thus force a further extention, if needed.

The House has really nothing before it of importance now, and idleness may breed mischief in letting through some small jobs. The prospect of adjournment on the 3d of June is to-day less bright than yesterday

Every Republican member of Congress from New York in the House of Representatives, expresses the opinion that that State will go largely for Grant against Greeley, if the latter is nominated by the Baltimore Convention, and each holds this opinion strongly.

The Brazil subsidy increase was killed to-day, absolutely.

Mr. Fish has no doubt that Great Britain will accept the supplemental treaty as amended. An answer is expected to-morrow, though it may not come for a day or two longer.

## *FROM CHICAGO.*

CHICAGO, May 28.—The widows and others who have held frequent meetings to denounce the action of the Chicago Relief and Aid Society, in the distribution of the funds contributed throughout the world have retained two prominent attorneys at five thousand dollars, to take legal steps to establish the rights of the people to the funds. The movement is not considered of any importance by the Society.

The strike of the lathers yesterday did not amount to much There are only 100 or 200 belonging to the union, and employers quietly obtained new men. The strikers wanted $4 a day.

Suit is to be commenced in the Circuit Court this morning by three prominent members of the Christ Episcopal Church against Rev. Charles E Cheney, to enjoin him from further officiating as an Episcopal clergyman, and to place the complainants in possession of Christs' Church property. The proceedings are inspired by Bishop White house

## *FROM PENNSYLVANIA.*

PITTSBURG, May 28.—Mrs. Norman while walking in her garden on Mount Washington this morning, was struck by lightning. She is terribly burned and deprived of her hearing, and her left side and limbs are paralyzed. It is hardly possible that she can recover

## *FROM SPRINGFIELD.*

SPRINGFIELD, May 28.—The Democratic State Central Committee will meet soon, to add to the call for a State convention a call for a convention to nominate a State ticket. It is probable that the ticket will be made up of a Liberal Republican for Governor, and Democrats alternating for other offices.

## *THE MARKETS.*

CHICAGO, May 28.—Wheat, quiet, cash, 1.49½; June 1.49½; July 1 50.
Corn, weak cash 45; June 45¼, July 46; August 47¼.
Pork, easier, June 12.50, July 12 75.
Lard, quiet, June 8¼.
Oats, quiet, 40¼.
Rye, nominal, 75
Barley, nominal.
Highwines, unchanged, 86.
Receipts of wheat, 29095 bushels; corn 319,460; oats 116,360; rye 2,959; barley 4,990; Shipments, wheat 38,130; corn 253,499; oats 37,651; rye 1600; barley 420.
Hogs, receipts, 8119; market active, and prices 10c higher. Extreme range for fair to choice 4.00@4.42; with bulk of sales at 4.00@4.10.

NEW YORK, May 28.—Wheat tame, limited demand; 1.72 bid for No. 2 Chicago.
Flour, more plenty, low grades easier, 7.15@7.50.
Corn, inactive, quiet, held at 73½.
Oats, stronger, 58 in store, 59 afloat.
Rye, held at 1.05.
Barley, dull, held at 85.
Whiskey, inactive, 92½.
Pork, inactive, steady, 13.80.
Lard, easier, more active 9¾.
Gold. 13⅛.

JUDGE JERRY BLACK'S Democratic opinion of the Cincinnati movement is thus stated by himself in a letter to the *York Gazette*:

"There are many thousands of men in the party who will refuse to be dragooned or bullied into the support of that ticket. The Greeley men had better suspend their plan of operation immediately. The longer they continue it the less likely they are to succeed either in July or November. 'We, the people,' the rank and file, the yeomanry of the country, cannot be driven to the polls as negroes are driven in the South by the carpet-baggars and scalawags."

## *GRANT.*

The terror of the Democracy is seen in the frequent rumors that Grant intends to withdraw from the canvass. The people are not to be fooled by such chaff. They know Grant will no more run away now from the Democratic opposition than he would run away from the rebel opposition ten years ago. Frequent reports of Grant's defeat used to come in from the rebel lines when he was pegging away at Vicksburg, but they never received any credence ten miles from the border. When he went to Virginia to take personal supervision of the Army of the Potomac, all standing phrases about "falling back from the Rapidan," and "advances on Washington," which had been kept standing for years, ready for use in all well regulated printing offices, were distributed at once. Nobody ever supposed for a moment that Grant would fall back then. He is just as necessary now to oppose the political adventures who are attempting to pillage the Treasury as he was then to oppose the rebels who were attempting to pillage the country, and will not fall back.

THE growth of population in Illinois is one of the wonders of modern progress. In 1840 the total population was 476,183. In 1850 it was 851,470, a gain of 375,287. In 1860 it was 1,711,951, a gain of 160,481, or more one hundred per cent. in ten years. In 1870 the population was 2,536,891, an increase of 827,940. Total gain in thirty years of 2,063,705, or over five hundred per cent. In 1840 it occupied the comparative rank of fourteenth in the list of States. It now stands fourth, and is almost abreast of Ohio, which exceeds it in population by only 125,369. By 1875 Illinois will have passed Ohio and be abreast of Pennsylvania, which has now a population of 3,591,791.

Its agricultural and commercial growth and development of its resources, have kept pace with its grand strides in population It now ranks with New York and Pennsylvania in wealth and prosperity. It has more miles of railroad—over six thousand miles now in operation—than any other State in the Union. Pennsylvania ranks next as a railway State, but it has only one mile of railroad to every 718 of its population; while in Illinois the population stands as one to 423. This is a proud record.

## *STATE NEWS.*

The people of Bloomington are to vote on the water works question on the 31st inst

Urbana has voted 110 to 7 in favor of issuing $20,000 in bonds to aid in the erection of school buildings.

Two sets of directors and officers of the Pekin and Mississippi Railroad Co, were elected at Pekin, Tuesday last.

The contract has been let for the erection of the permanent buildings for the State Fair Grounds, near Ottawa They will cost $12 760.

The LaSalle County Agricultural Board has decided to hold a three days' race meeting during the last week in June, the 25th 26th, and 27th

The Peoria Mercantile Library Association has taken measures to increase its library fund $500 to $600 per annum, and to merge its library in a free public library whenever the City Council shall establish the same

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WANTED—A young man, or an active boy, to do general work at Norman & Young's Barber Shop and Bath Rooms.
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WANTED—A girl to do the house work of a small family. German preferred. Apply at this office. [a26-dtf

### CHANCERY NOTICE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
MACON COUNTY, }

In the Circuit Court to the July term, A. D., 1872.

Elias Kost, Joseph S. Farnum, to use of Quinsigamond National Bank of Worcester, William H. Whiteside, to the use of the First National Bank of Wabash, Charles D. Bond, to the use of the Fort Wayne National Bank, William B. Howell and Thomas L. Barr, partners by name of Howell, Barr & Co., George S. Allison, and John M. Long, Peter Black and Robert B Allstatter, partners by the name of Long, Black & Allstatter, Edwin Bayliss, Thomas Ryan, and Z. Reed Brockway,

vs.

Jacob B. Freese, Isaac Freese, David Garver, John R. Race, Albert R. Fearn, Stephen Shipman, William L. Hammer, Sullivan Burgess, C. B. Adams, Hannah Freese, Frederick Lewis, A. M. Livingston, William B. Livingston, Thomas Cooper, Ada L. Libby, J. Howard Livingston, W. C. Freese, John L. Mansfield, H. C. Hazen, L. B. Hazen, W. H. Hazen, J. W. C. Gay, Samuel K. Wilson, Anastasia Gavin, Otis L. Wheelock, B. Dunham, Nicholas Saunders, F. W. Sharpe, James Buckingham, Mary P. Palmer, Lucretia Briggs, Em. J. Vaughan, and John A. Hamilton; James H. Alexander, Administrator of T. K. Alexander, deceased, and the unknown heirs of T. K. Alexander, and the unknown heirs and Administrator of Thomas Chapman and Erastus Wright.

**Creditors' Bill.**

AFFIDAVIT of the non-residence of John L. Mansfield, Albert R. Fearn, Ada L. Libby, Isaac Freese, H. C. Hazen, L. B. Hazen, W. H. Hazen, J. W. C. Gay, Jacob R. Freese, Hannah Freese, Samuel K. Wilson, F. W. Sharpe, William B. Livingston, James Buckingham, and John A. Hamilton, above named defendants, having been filed in my office; and that the names of the heirs of T. K. Alexander are unknown, and that the names of the heirs and administrators of Thomas Chapman and Erastus Wright, are unknown, notice is hereby given to the said Isaac Freese, John L. Mansfield, Albert R. Fearn, Ada L. Libby, Hannah Freese, H. C. Hazen, L. B. Hazen, W. H. Hazen, William B. Livingston, J. W. C. Gay, Jacob R. Freese, Samuel K. Wilson, F. W. Sharpe, James Buckingham, and John A. Hamilton, that the complainants have filed their bill of complaint in the said court, on the chancery side thereof, on the 3d day of January, A. D., 1872, and that summons thereupon issued out of said court against said defendants, returnable on the 22d day of July, A.D. 1872, as by law required.

Now, unless you, the said J. W. C. Gay, shall personally be and appear before said court on the first day of the next term thereof, at the Court-House in said county, and plead, answer or demur to said bill of complaint, the same, and the matters and things therein contained, will be taken *pro confesso*, and a decree entered in accordance with the prayer of said bill.

E. McCLELLAN, Clerk.

EDEN & ODOR,
NELSON, ROBY & PEDDECORD,
E. PARK, T. LEE, J. M. IRWIN,
Solicitors for Complainants.
Dated this 20th day of May, 1872. [d-6d

### SHERIFF'S SALE.

BY VIRTUE OF THREE EXECUTIONS, to me directed and delivered by the Clerk of the Circuit Court of Macon county, Illinois, one in favor of John Ulrich and David H. Hellman, partners as Ulrich & Co., and against Emanuel Rhodes, and one in favor of William T. Howell, Administrator of estate of James Howell, deceased, and against Emanuel Rhodes and Adam M. Conn, and one in favor of William T. Howell, Administrator of estate of James Howell, deceased, and against Emanuel Rhodes and Samuel Cunningham, by the firm names of Rhodes & Cunningham, I have levied upon the following described property, to-wit: Lot five (5), and the west half (½) of lots No. seven (7) and twelve (12), in block "I," in the town of Oakley; also, the wan-house grounds being on the south side of the Toledo, Wabash and Western Railway, containing thirty-three (33) feet from centre of track, and four and one-half (4½) rods east of Centre Street, and running south from that point one hundred (100) feet, thence east forty-four (44) feet, thence north one hundred (100) feet, thence west forty-four (44) feet to the place of beginning, all in the town of Oakley, county of Macon, and State of Illinois. Taken as the property of the said Emanuel Rhodes which I shall offer at public sale at the west door of the Court-House, in Macon county, in said State, on the 17th day of June, A. D., 1872, between the hours of 10 o'clock, a.m., and 4 o'clock, p.m., of said day, for cash in hand to satisfy said Executions.

This 27th day of May, A. D., 1872.
GEORGE M. WOOD,
[m27-d2w] Sheriff Macon County.


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## REPUBLICAN STATE TICKET.

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OF MACON.

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OF COOK.

*For Auditor,*
CHARLES E. LIPPINCOTT,
OF CASS.

*For Secretary of State,*
GEORGE H. HARLOW,
OF TAZEWELL.

*For Treasurer,*
EDWARD RUTZ,
OF ST. CLAIR.

*For Attorney-General,*
JAMES K. EDSALL,
OF LEE.

*Clerk of Supreme Court — Central Grand Division,*
E. C. HAMBURGER,
OF ADAMS.

*Presidential Electors:*

*At Large*—HENRY GREENEBAUM, of Cook Co. DAVID T. LINEGAR, of Alexander.

1st District—CHAUNCEY T. BOWEN.
2d District—LESTER L. BOND.
3d District—MARION D. OGDEN.
4th District—RICHARD L. DEVINE.
5th District—JAMES SHAW.
6th District—NORMAN H. RYAN.
7th District—IRUS COY.
8th District—JOSEPH J. CAMMEL.
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10th District—W. D. HENDERSON.
11th District—MOSES M. BANE.
12th District—M. H. CHAMBERLAIN.
13th District—HUGH FULLERTON.
14th District—MARTIN B. THOMPSON.
15th District—J. W. WILKIN.
16th District—JOHN P. VAN DORESTON.
17th District—JOHN H. YEAGER.
18th District—JOHN DOUGHERTY.
19th District—WILLIAM H. ROBINSON.

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AND now the free trade bolters from the Republican party have bolted Cincinnati. They have issued a call for a meeting at Steinway Hall on the 30th inst., at which W. C. Bryant will preside, and addresses will be delivered by D. A. Wells, Edward Atkinson and others. The call recites that the commitment by the Cincinnati Convention of tariff reform to Congressional districts was an evasion of the issue, and has absolved free traders from any obligations to support the nominees of that convention, and it gives to them liberty to support any other ticket. The call looks directly to an organization for the accomplishment of tariff reform in the coming Presidential election.

FROM one end of the State to the other comes the response of the loyal press to the action of the Republican State Convention. It is united, enthusiastic, confident. We wish we had room to transfer to our columns what our contemporaries say of the gathering and of the ticket, which has been put in nomination, but we have not. They all concede, while there may here and there be local disappointments, that a stronger or more popular ticket could not have been agreed upon. The party is thoroughly united in their support; and there need be no fears but that they will be elected by the usual overwhelming majority.

SENATOR FERRY, of Connecticut, who was re-elected a few days since, has treated the "Liberals" very shabbily. They heralded his election over Gov. Hawley as a great anti-administration triumph. Since then, Mr. Ferry has written a letter in which he says he is not fully satisfied with all the acts of the administration, but he is heartily in favor of Grant in preference to Greeley or any democrat. He regards the "philosopher's" nomination a blunder which almost amounts to a crime. There ain't so much laughing on the back seats among the "Liberals" just now, for they think that kind of a Ferry will not prove very reliable in an emergency like the present.

THE "Liberal" supporters of Horace Greeley are falling off like leaves in wintry weather. Carl Schurz is going to Europe, Stanley Mathews raises the standard of revolt; and now comes David A. Wells and E. Atkinson, with the free trade stone which the builders rejected, to hurl at him. Meanwhile his Democratic allies are quarreling over his white coat, as if it were a golden fleece.

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A Liberal paper announces triumphantly that "all the distinguished journalists who edit post-offices are for Ulysses," and it might have added, with greater truth, that all the disappointed aspirants for such positions are for Horace.

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DR. GREELEY has written a letter to the secretary of a Western Greeley club, in which he says: "I have some experience in white hats. To prevent the ravages of the moth upon this important institution, first catch the moth, cover it with a thick coating of gum shellac and feed it upon clippings from a Merino calf. Whoever says this is an infringement on my patent is a liar."

# TELEGRAPHIC.

[Reported Expressly for the Daily Republican.]

## Railroad Collision in New Jersey.

### Report of the Committee of Seventy on the Tammany Frauds.

### THE WHITEHOUSE-CHENEY CONTROVERSY AGAIN IN THE COURTS.

### RED CLOUD IN WASHINGTON

### PROBABILITY OF AN EXTRA SESSION OF CONGRESS.

### Congressional News.

### TERRIBLE OUTRACE NEAR TAYLORVILLE.

### MARKETS. ETC.

[Special Dispatch to the Daily Republican.]

TAYLORVILLE, May 28.—There is great excitement here just now. A negro from Massachusetts tried to commit a rape on a young girl this morning, about 2½ miles west of here. Failing to accomplish his hellish design, he drew a knife and attempted to take her life by cutting her throat, but not injuring her very seriously. The girl will live, but the negro's chances are slim, as there is a mob of about two thousand around the jail.

## *FROM NEW YORK.*

NEW YORK, May 28.—Yesterday morning a collision occurred between two trains on the New Jersey and New Jersey Central railroad crossing, at Elizabeth, N J. The cause of the accident was the failure of the air-brake on the Philadelphia train, allowing it to run into the rear of the train preceding it, which was stopping at the depot. Several persons were seriously injured. The place where the accident happened is the most dangerous crossing on the road.

The reform committee of seventy have submitted their report to the reform counsel, in which they review the work done by their committee. In their report they complain of the lobby at Albany, by which, during the last session of the legislature, every measure of reform had been defeated. Their report also contains a recommendation that every effort be used at their next election to elect a governor of the State who is in sympathy with the reform movement. The committee's report has not yet been made public, but it is stated that, besides recommending the election of a reform governor, it presents figures and facts showing that over a million and a half of dollars on fraudulent warrants on city affairs had been signed by Alderman Thomas Cowan, during the last six months of 1868, while Gov. Hoffman was temporarily absent from his office of Mayor. It is also stated that the committee's report contains a statement showing than Cowan had signed fraudulent warrants for large amounts while occupying the Mayor's chair, after Hoffman's election as governor. The report of the committee has made a decided sensation. After other business the meeting of the committee was declared adjourned without day, subject to the call of the chairman.

A special meeting of the bar association will be held to-night, when it is expected that the present condition of the State courts, and other important questions will be discussed. Mr. Tilden will preside and address them.

The *Tribune's* Washington special says the mint and coinage bill, which passed the House yesterday is substantially identical with that reported and and discussed at length, and it is intended as a complete and thorough codification of all existing statutes relating to the subject. The Senate some time since passed a similar bill, and is expected to agree to this without much change.

The difficulty between the Union and Kansas Pacific Railroads, in regard to the price of transportation west of Cheyenne, and which has been the subject of several hearings by the House committee on Pacific railroads, will be dismissed by the committee without action and referred to the companies for mutual settlement.

## *FROM IOWA.*

DAVENPORT, May 28.—A German pauper named Theissen, an inmate of the county house, hanged himself outside of a window of that establishment on yesterday, with a strap around his neck. When discovered by another inmate, who cut the strap, the body fell forty feet, down into the cellar. The man was said to have been nearly or quite simple-minded.

## *FROM WASHINGTON.*

WASHINGTON, May 27.—The Sioux Indian delegation held a council to-day with Secretary Delano. Red Cloud, Red Dog and other chiefs made speeches. The speeches of the different chiefs lasted altogether fully one hour, but the principal points were a desire to remain at peace and a request of presents of guns, ammunitions, horses, etc., and better facilities for receiving their supplies sent to the agency.

When the Indians had concluded, Secretary Delano spoke briefly to them, saying he was glad to welcome the chiefs and braves, and to hear that they were friendly. They were informed that the Commissioner of Indian Affairs will provide for them some horses which they will receive when they go back, and will let them have more ammunition as their agents shall advise. The chiefs will also have some guns given them, and will be provided with some money for their expenses. While here the Indians seemed much gratified with the remarks of Secretary Delano. They will call on the President to-morrow.

By order of the President, several of the departments will be closed on the 30th, to allow the employes to participate in the ceremony of decorating the soldiers' graves.

WASHINGTON, May 27.—There are multiplying rumors to-day of an extra session next week, or soon after—not of the Senate for consideration of the proposed supplemental treaty with Great Britain, but of Congress for the transaction of ordinary legislative business.

Senator Chandler, who has for some time had the river and harbor appropriation bill ready to report to the Senate, holds it back for some unexplained reason. Senator Conkling intimated to Senator Cole very plainly, in debate today, that there were other matters of more importance than appropriation bills, which must be disposed of before the adjournment, and General Butler said, positively, in conversation this afternoon, that an adjournment on Monday next was impossible.

The resolution of the House extending the session until June 3d was passed in good faith by the united votes of Republicans and Democrats, with the understanding that the Senate would accept it and work steadily up to that date, completing its business within the time.

To-morrow Senator Sherman's resolution, to which Chandler so vigorously objected to-day, will be taken up, and its disposition will afford conclusive evidence of the temper of the Senate, and its intention upon adjournment.

The object of an extra session is well understood in all quarters to be the passage of the Ku-Klux bill by the House.

WASHINGTON, May 27.—The Senate to-day took up the tariff bill and worked on it till late to-night, evincing a general inclination to follow the lead of the Finance Committee. Almost every amendment reported by the committee has been thus far agreed to, but debate is unlimited and progress slow. To-morrow Mr. Sherman will endeavor to have the five-minute rule of debate applied. The bill cannot possibly be sent to the Conference Committee before Thursday, or probable Friday.

Mr. Dawes to-day offered a resolution in the House, which was passed, rescinding the resolution to adjourn on the 29th, and fixing the time on June 3d. This will probably be concurred in by the Senate, as otherwise the former date will be binding. However, the Senate will keep back the appropriation bill till the last, and thus force a further extention, if needed.

The House has really nothing before it of importance now, and idleness may breed mischief in letting through some small jobs. The prospect of adjournment on the 3d of June is to-day less bright than yesterday.

Every Republican member of Congress from New York in the House of Representatives, expresses the opinion that that State will go largely for Grant against Greeley, if the latter is nominated by the Baltimore Convention, and each holds this opinion strongly.

The Brazil subsidy increase was killed to-day, absolutely.

Mr. Fish has no doubt that Great Britain will accept the supplemental treaty as amended. An answer is expected to-morrow, though it may not come for a day or two longer.

## *FROM CHICAGO.*

CHICAGO, May 28.—The widows and others who have held frequent meetings to denounce the action of the Chicago Relief and Aid Society, in the distribution of the funds contributed throughout the world have retained two prominent attorneys at five thousand dollars, to take legal steps to establish the rights of the people to the funds. The movement is not considered of any importance by the Society.

The strike of the lathers yesterday did not amount to much. There are only 100 or 200 belonging to the union, and employers quietly obtained new men. The strikers wanted $4 a day.

Suit is to be commenced in the Circuit Court this morning by three prominent members of the Christ Episcopal Church against Rev. Charles E Cheney, to enjoin him from further officiating as an Episcopal clergyman, and to place the complainants in possession of Christs' Church property. The proceedings are inspired by Bishop White house

## *FROM PENNSYLVANIA.*

PITTSBURG, May 28.—Mrs. Norman while walking in her garden on Mount Washington this morning, was struck by lightning. She is terribly burned and deprived of her hearing, and her left side and limbs are paralyzed. It is hardly possible that she can recover

## *FROM SPRINGFIELD.*

SPRINGFIELD, May 28.—The Democratic State Central Committee will meet soon, to add to the call for a State convention a call for a convention to nominate a State ticket. It is probable that the ticket will be made up of a Liberal Republican for Governor, and Democrats alternating for other offices.

## *THE MARKETS.*

CHICAGO, May 28.—Wheat, quiet, cash, 1.49½; June 1.49½; July 1.50.

Corn, weak cash 45; June 45¼, July 46; August 47¼.

Pork, easier, June 12.50, July 12.75.

Lard, quiet, June 8¼.

Oats, quiet, 40¼.

Rye, nominal, 75

Barley, nominal.

Highwines, unchanged, 86.

Receipts of wheat, 29095 bushels; corn 319,460; oats 116,360; rye 2,959; barley 4,990; Shipments, wheat 38,130; corn 253,499; oats 37,651; rye 1600; barley 420.

Hogs, receipts, 8119; market active, and prices 10c higher. Extreme range for fair to choice 4.00@4.42; with bulk of sales at 4.00@4.10.

NEW YORK, May 28.—Wheat tame, limited demand; 1.72 bid for No. 2 Chicago.

Flour, more plenty, low grades easier, 7.15@7.50.

Corn, inactive, quiet, held at 73½.

Oats, stronger, 58 in store, 59 afloat.

Rye, held at 1.05.

Barley, dull, held at 85.

Whiskey, inactive, 92½.

Pork, inactive, steady, 13.80.

Lard, easier, more active 9¼.

Gold. 13⅛.

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JUDGE JERRY BLACK'S Democratic opinion of the Cincinnati movement is thus stated by himself in a letter to the *York Gazette*:

"There are many thousands of men in the party who will refuse to be dragooned or bullied into the support of that ticket. The Greeley men had better suspend their plan of operation immediately. The longer they continue it the less likely they are to succeed either in July or November. 'We, the people,' the rank and file, the yeomanry of the country, cannot be driven to the polls as negroes are driven in the South by the carpet-baggers and scalawags."

## *GRANT.*

The terror of the Democracy is seen in the frequent rumors that Grant intends to withdraw from the canvass. The people are not to be fooled by such chaff. They know Grant will no more run away now from the Democratic opposition than he would run away from the rebel opposition ten years ago. Frequent reports of Grant's defeat used to come in from the rebel lines when he was pegging away at Vicksburg, but they never received any credence ten miles from the border. When he went to Virginia to take personal supervision of the Army of the Potomac, all standing phrases about "falling back from the Rapidan," and "advances on Washington," which had been kept standing for years, ready for use in all well regulated printing offices, were distributed at once. Nobody ever supposed for a moment that Grant would fall back then. He is just as necessary now to oppose the political adventurers who are attempting to pillage the Treasury as he was then to oppose the rebels who were attempting to pillage the country, and will not fall back.

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THE growth of population in Illinois is one of the wonders of modern progress. In 1810 the total population was 476,183. In 1850 it was 851,470, a gain of 375,287. In 1860 it was 1,711,951, a gain of 160,481, or more one hundred per cent. in ten years. In 1870 the population was 2,536,891, an increase of 827,940. Total gain in thirty years of 2,063,705, or over five hundred per cent. In 1840 it occupied the comparative rank of fourteenth in the list of States. It now stands fourth, and is almost abreast of Ohio, which exceeds it in population by only 125,369. By 1875 Illinois will have passed Ohio and be abreast of Pennsylvania, which has now a population of 3,591,791.

Its agricultural and commercial growth and development of its resources, have kept pace with its grand strides in population. It now ranks with New York and Pennsylvania in wealth and prosperity. It has more miles of railroad—over six thousand miles now in operation—than any other State in the Union. Pennsylvania ranks next as a railway State, but it has only one mile of railroad to every 718 of its population; while in Illinois the population stands as one to 423. This is a proud record.

## *STATE NEWS.*

The people of Bloomington are to vote on the water works question on the 31st inst.

Urbana has voted 110 to 7 in favor of issuing $20,000 in bonds to aid in the erection of school buildings.

Two sets of directors and officers of the Pekin and Mississippi Railroad Co., were elected at Pekin, Tuesday last.

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May 25-tf

BOARDING HOUSE.—Mrs. Martin has rented Dr. Chenoweth's house, No. 7 West Main street, and is prepared to accommodate a few families with good airy rooms and board, and will receive a few day boarders. (m16-d3w.

FOR SALE—CLOSE TO THE CITY—A comfortable residence of eight rooms, pantry, cellar, porches, well and cistern, with five acres of ground; 150 bearing fruit trees of different kinds; small fruit in abundance. Will be sold all in one piece, or divided to suit purchasers. For particulars inquire on the premises, one-half mile east of the city. m26-d3w-2w.] JAMES FOWLER.

WANTED—A young man, or an active boy, to do general work at Norman & Young's Barber Shop and Bath Rooms. [m3—d-tf.]

WANTED—A girl to do the house work of a small family. German preferred. Apply at this office. [m29tf

### CHANCERY NOTICE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
MACON COUNTY, }

In the Circuit Court to the July term, A. D., 1872.

Elias Kost, Joseph S. Farnum, to use of Quinsigimmond National Bank of Worcester, William B. Whiteside, to the use of the Fort Wayne National Bank of Wabash, Charles D. Bond, to the use of The Fort Wayne National Bank, William B. Howell and Thomas L. Barr, partners by name of Howell, Barr & Co., George S. Allison, and John M. Long, Peter Black and Robert B. Allstatter, partners by the name of Long, Black & Allstatter, Edwin Bayliss, Thomas Ryan, and Z. Reed Brockway,

vs.

Jacob B. Freese, Isaac Freese, David Garver, John R. Race, Albert R. Fearn, Stephen Shipman, William L. Hammer, Sullivan Burgess, C. B. Adams, Hannah Freese, Frederick Lewis, A. B. Livingston, William B. Livingston, Thomas Cooper, Ada L. Libby, J. Howard Livingston, W. C. Freese, John L. Mansfield, H. C. Hazen, L. B. Hazen, W. H. Hazen, J. W. C. Gay, Samuel K. Wilson, Anastasia Gavin, Otis L. Wheelock, B. Dunham, Nicholas Saunders, F. W. Sharpe, James Buckingham, Mary P. Palmer, Lucretia Briggs, Esq. J. Vaughan, and John A. Hamilton; James H. Alexander, Administrator of T. K. Alexander, deceased, and the unknown heirs of T. K. Alexander, and the unknown husband Administrator of Thomas Chapman and Erastus Wright.

**Creditors' Bill.**

AFFIDAVIT of the non-residence of John L. Mansfield, Albert R. Fearn, Ada L. Libby, Isaac Freese, H. C. Hazen, L. B. Hazen, W. H. Hazen, J. W. C. Gay, Jacob B. Freese, Hannah Freese, Samuel K. Wilson, F. W. Sharpe, William B. Livingston, James Buckingham, and John A. Hamilton, above named defendants, having been filed in my office; and that the names of the heirs of T. K. Alexander are unknown, and that the names of the heirs and administrators of Thomas Chapman and Erastus Wright, are unknown, notice is hereby given to the said Isaac Freese, John L. Mansfield, Albert R. Fearn, Ada L. Libby, Hannah Freese, H. C. Hazen, L. B. Hazen, W. H. Hazen, William B. Livingston, J. W. C. Gay, Jacob B. Freese, Samuel K. Wilson, F. W. Sharpe, James Buckingham, and John A. Hamilton, that the complainants have filed their bill of complaint in the said court, on the first day of the present term thereof, on the 3d day of January, A. D., 1872, and that summons thereupon issued out of said court against said defendants, returnable on the 22d day of July, A.D. 1872, as by law required.

Now, unless you, the said J. W. C. Gay, shall personally be and appear before said Circuit Court, on the first day of the next term thereof, at the Court-House in said county, and plead, answer or demur to said bill of complaint, the same, and the matters and things therein contained, will be taken *pro confesso*, and a decree entered in accordance with the prayer of said bill.

E. McCLELLAN, Clerk.

EDES & ODOR,
NELSON, ROBY & PEDDECORD,
E. PARK, T. LEE, J. M. IRWIN,
Solicitors for Complainants.
Dated this 20th day of May, 1872. [d-6d

### SHERIFF'S SALE.

BY VIRTUE OF THREE EXECUTIONS, to me directed and delivered by the Clerk of the Circuit Court of Macon county, Illinois, one in favor of John Ulrich and Isaac H. Hallman, partners as Ulrich & Co., and against Emanuel Rhodes, and one in favor of William T. Howell, Administrator of estate of James Howell, deceased, and against Emanuel Rhods and Adam M. Coon, and one in favor of William T. Howell, Administrator of estate of James Howell, deceased, and against Emanuel Rhodes and Samuel Cunningham, by the firm name of Rhodes & Cunningham, I have levied upon the following described property, to-wit: Lot five (5), and the west half (½) of lots No. seven (7) and twelve (12), in block "J," in the town of Oakley; also, the wagon house, grounds lying on the south side of the Toledo, Wabash and Western Railway, commencing thirty-three (33) feet from centre of track, and four and one-half (4½) rods east of Centre street, and running south from that point one hundred (100) feet, thence east forty-four (44) feet, thence north one hundred (100) feet, thence west forty-four (44) feet to the place of beginning, subject to the dower of Mary Oakley, county of Macon, and State of Illinois. Taken as the property of the said Emanuel Rhodes which I shall offer at public sale at the west door of the Court-House, in Macon county, in said State, on the 17th day of June, A. D., 1872, between the hours of 10 o'clock, a. m., and 4 o'clock, p. m., of said day, for cash in hand to satisfy said Executions.

This 27th day of May, A. D. 1872.
GEORGE M. WOOD,
m27-d3td] Sheriff Macon County.

### Bird Cages for Mocking Birds, Robins and Canaries, in large variety, and Bird Cage Hooks at J. H. LEWIS & CO.'S

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MERCHANTS will continue to find bargains in our WHOLESALE ROOMS, which we expect to continue.

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STATE OF ILL
MACON COU

In the Circuit Court, July term

Lewis F. Houck vs. Paschal F
Louisa Hamilton, James B.
Augustus Knight.

IN CHANCERY.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVE
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## CHANCERY NOTICE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss.
MACON COUNTY, }

In the Circuit Court, July term, A. D., 1872.

Lewis F. Houck *vs.* Paschal K. Hamilton, Louisa Hamilton, James B. Fiske, and Augustus Knight.

IN CHANCERY.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the above entitled suit is now pending in the Circuit Court in and for the said County of Macon, and that summons has been issued in said cause returnable to the said July term of said Court, to be holden at the Court House in Decatur, in said Macon county, on the

*22nd Day of July, A. D., 1872.*

When and where said defendants are required to appear and answer the bill of complaint filed in said cause, or the same will be taken *pro confesso* against all defendants not answering, and as to such defendants said case will be heard *ex-parte*.

THOMPSON MCCLELLAN, Clerk.
NELSON & ROBY, Sol's for Compl't
Decatur, May 20, 1872 d-td.


Terra Cotta Flower Pots, Hanging Baskets, House Vases, Yard Vases, Fountains, & Wire Hanging Baskets, at J. H. LEWIS & CO.'S.



# The Daily Republican.

DECATUR, ILLINOIS:

Tuesday Evening, May 28.

THE DAILY REPUBLICAN will be delivered to subscribers in any part of the city, at *Twenty Cents per Week.*

Local Notices will be inserted at *Ten Cents* per line for the first insertion, and five cents per line for each subsequent insertion. Rates for time advertisements will be furnished upon application at the office.

*TO DAILY SUBSCRIBERS.*

Subscriptions to the DAILY REPUBLICAN will be collected every Saturday, at the places where the paper is delivered, unless otherwise ordered.

*IMPORTANT.*

We would be much obliged if our subscribers would inform the carrier at what particular place they desire their papers to be left.


## Announcements.

SHERIFF.

WE are authorized to announce Captain HARVEY MAHANNAH as a candidate for Sheriff, subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention.

WE are authorized to announce ISAAC D. JENNINGS as a candidate for Sheriff, subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention.

## CITY DEPARTMENT.

...See Litsinberger & Sutton's new advertisement.

...Strawberries are selling at 10 and 12½ cents per box to day.

...The weather continues delightful---to the hour of going to press.

...Enoch Emery, Esq., of the Peoria *Transcript*, called on us this morning.

...The new bakery wagon of Leiby & Son is about the nicest thing out in that line.

...People who have the ague ought to rejoice that Congress has placed quinine on the free list.

...The farmers' dogs are having plenty of fun and exercise, chasing lightning rod men off the farms.

...A number of our citizens will visit Boston during the continuance of the great Peace Jubilee.

...Cut-worms and grub-worms have already commenced their destructive operations in some places.

...A. B. Bunn, Esq., is erecting a fine brick residence on Prairie between Church and Edwards streets.

...Rain, much needed and duly appreciated, has visited different parts of the county nearly every day last week.

...The ceremonies on Decoration Day will be interesting, and of course everybody who can will participate. See the programme in another column.

...The city marshal will prosecute some parties if they do not remove the rubbish and filth from around their premises, in accordance with his notification.

...The official board of the First M. E. Church, have voted to give Rev. J. H. Noble a leave of absence for an indefinite length of time, for rest and recreation.

...Uncle Joe Long is in town, and we have the best authority for stating that he is not, as has been erroneously reported, a "Liberal." He still adheres to the old party.

...A great many people who pass daily that pond of water which has been the theme of so many items on the corner of Water and Prairie streets, would much like to see the foundations commenced for the building that is to be erected, as that pool of water is becoming quite offensive.

...A firm on East Main street say that the Street Commissioner made them pay three dollars for hauling off the dirt taken out of a hole dug for a cistern, while right in front of their door, and near it, are three large mud holes. They would like to have that dirt hauled back and those holes filled up.

*Decoration Day.*—We presume our readers have not forgotten that next Thursday the 30th inst., is the day set apart in all the States for the decoration of the graves of our brave soldiers who years ago died for their country, and our country, and for the perpetuity of the Union, died fighting manfully at the front, pierced by a rebel bullet, or in the hospital, stricken down by diseases contracted in the line of duty, each equally brave, each equally a martyr to the cause of human liberty, and the blood of each more firmly cementing our country and its people together.—It is a grand sight to witness, year after year, our people performing the solemn yet pleasing duty of decorating the graves of our dear dead heroes, which as the years roll by are not lost sight of, but as personality is lost in the dim past, the grand idea for which they fought and died, stands out more boldly every year, and impels every true American to do honor to all of the brave dead who have saved to us our homes, our country, and to the oppressed of all nations an asylum, and a haven of rest. Next Thursday is the day this pleasant duty is to be again performed, and we hope this year will witness a grand outpouring of the people, as in years past, to take part in or witness the usual ceremonies set apart by the Grand Army of the Republic for the occasion. We ask for the committee in charge of the matter, the most hearty co operation on the part of *all* of our citizens.

*Died* in Evanston, Ill., May 24th, HENRY S. NOYES, Professor of Mathematics and Astronomy, in the North-Western University, and brother of Mrs. J. E. Kinney, of this city.

*Delicious.*—The ice cream served up at Holt & Krone's Ice Cream Parlor, over the Post Office is acknowledged by all who have tried it to be delicious. Dishes are well filled.

## ELECTION NOTICE.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION, }
DECATUR, ILLS., May 20, 1872. }

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That an Election will be held at the Court-House in Decatur, on the first Tuesday in June next, for the purpose of electing one member of the Board of Education, to serve for the term of three years. Said Election will be opened at 2 o'clock, p. m., and will close at 6 o'clock, p. m.

WM. L. HAMMER, President.
E. A. GASTMAN, Clerk. (m22-dtd

## FROM MONTICELLO.

MAY 27, 1872.

This venerable town is rapidly improving since the completion of the Monticello railroad to Champaign and Urbana.

The Presbyterian church has been frescoed and repaired inside. This Church is without a pastor at present, but will have one next month.

The new M. E. Church was completed about one year ago, at a cost of $15,000. It is a neat edifice, and a credit to the place. Great credit is due to Rev. Mr. Adams, the pastor, whose arduous efforts in the interest of the Church and village have resulted in great good.

We were pleasantly entertained at the residence of John Kiser, Esq., who is building a new house of modern style.—Mr. Herron, and others, have recently taken possession of new houses.

We met the genial W. T. Foster, Circuit Clerk, and L. J. Bond, Esq., President of the Monticello Railroad, who informed us that it was the purpose of the Company to complete the road from Monticello to Decatur next fall. The Pennsylvania Company will control this line, which will bring Decatur in direct communication with the various branches of this extensive company.

The Bloomington & Ohio River Railroad is completed from Bement to Windsor, and passenger and freight trains run regularly. A survey was made to-day of the road to run from Monticello to Fairbury, to connect with the Fox River Valley R. R., at the latter place. A large force of men are at work two miles north of Monticello. Next week the Monticello and the Havana, Mason City, Clinton & Eastern road will be consolidated.

We called on editor Holmes, of the Monticello *Independent*. The Democracy are discussing the propriety of starting a party organ, to serve their interests during the campaign.

At Bement the M. E. Church is undergoing repairs; Rev. J. Montgomery is the pastor. Next Thursday evening the ladies will give a strawberry festival.

We were pleased to make the acquaintance of A. F. Parker, operator in the Great Western office, Springfield, who was visiting his parents at Bement. Mr. Parker was formerly connected with the T. W. & W. R. R. Co., and has many friends along that line.

Decatur has a good reputation abroad, and is regarded as one of the prominent business cities of the State. C.

## DECORATION DAY.

The following arrangements have been agreed upon for Decoration Day, Thursday, May 30th:

Citizens are requested to assemble at Greenwood Cemetery at 3 o'clock, P. M. There will be no formal procession. Persons who desire to contribute wreaths or flowers for the decoration of the graves are requested to bring them to the rooms of the Ladies' Library, as early as possible on Thursday morning.

The musical portion of the exercises will be under charge of the Decatur Musical Union.

The devotional exercises will be by Rev. H. O. Hoffman and Rev. J. R. Locke.

Short addresses will be delivered by Hon. A. B. Bunn and Chas. A. Ewing, Esq.

The decoration ceremonies proper will be performed by twenty misses, who will be met at the house of the sexton of the cemetery by the committee in charge of the exercises shortly before 3 o'clock. It has been suggested, in order to afford all an opportunity of witnessing the ceremonies, that business generally throughout the city might be suspended between the hours of 3 and 5 o'clock P. M. may28d2t.

*Runaway.*—About five o'clock yesterday afternoon, Mrs. D. W. Samuels and Mrs. Danks were riding home in the buggy belonging to Mr. Samuels, foroman of the rolling mill. They were going through William street, and when near Jackson street something gave way about the harness, letting the buggy against the animal, which gave a sudden jump and started to run, encountering at the corner a buggy and horse which was being driven by Mrs. John McRoberts, and smashing the hind wheel of McRobert's buggy. Mrs. McRoberts jumped out, and saved herself from injury. The concussion threw Mrs. Samuels and Mrs. Danks out of the other buggy, Mrs. Danks sustaining no injury worth mentioning; but Mrs. Samuels was very badly bruised. She was taken into Mr. Reuben Betzer's house and Dr Aikman sent for. The Doctor found that she was badly bruised about the neck and limbs, but pronounced the wounds as not being serious, dressed them, got her quite comfortable, and she was taken to her own residence about eight o'clock. Meanwhile the horse had continued on in his wild career, smashing the buggy all to pieces, and, leaving it nearly opposite Lintner's factory, went home alone.

*Social Ball.*—There will be a ball given by the young gentlemen in town at the St. Nicholas Hotel on Friday evening, the 31st inst. Music will be rendered by Prof. Goodman's string band. Tickets, $1.00.

*From Maroa.*—The citizens of this place have recently organized a temperance society, with an efficient corps of officers. On Thursday evening last the meeting was held at the Christian Church, and a large audience was addressed by Rev. Mr. Whitlock, of the M. E Church. H. B. Funk and others furnished music that was very acceptable.

The Wallace Hotel is a credit to this place. The citizens are not ashamed to refer to the newly refitted house kept by B. F. Wallace. Nothing disreputable is connected with it.

*The Shooting Affair.*—The inquest yesterday afternoon over the body of Riley Calhoun, was continued for three hours. A post-mortem examination was made of the wound, which showed that the ball entered the jugular vein and lodged in the bones of the neck. The following was the verdict rendered by the jury:

We the jury summoned by M. Y. Givler, Coroner of Macon county, to hold an inquest over the dead body of Riley Calhoun, agree from the evidence that the said Calhoun was killed by a pistol ball discharged by Alonzo Banister at William Johnston, but, missing Johnston, penetrated the neck of said Calhoun, injured the spinal chord, causing death.

DECATUR, May 27, 1872.

Bannister waived the preliminary examination, and was committed to jail to await the sitting of the grand jury. He is between 15 and 16 years old, which fact will prevent his suffering the extreme penalty of the law.

Calhoun, the murdered man, was buried to-day at 3 o'clock, p. m., the funeral being attended by nearly all the colored people in town, for he was very much respected among them, being a very exemplary man, and an active member of the colored church.

*Illinois Sabbath School Association.*—The Fourteenth Annual Convention of the Sabbath School Association of the State of Illinois, will meet at Aurora, June 18th, 19th and 20th, 1872, commencing Tuesday morning and closing Thursday evening.

The citizens of Aurora are making extensive preparations to receive their guests, and it is hoped that this will be one of the best State Conventions ever held in the State.

The programme for the Convention will be similar to that of the National Sabbath School Convention—the topics being: "The Field," "The Seed," "The Sowers," "The Sowing," "The Harvest."

Arrangements will be made with the Railroads as far as possible, to reduce the fares, the success of which will be known at the Convention.

*Pic-Nic.*—The children of the Universalist Sunday school will have a pic-nic on the 12th of June, on an excursion train to Mt. Pulaski. The tickets, including fare both ways and dinner, will be $1 25.

*Just Received* at W. E. Wilson's, a large number of Sunday School Library and Song Books, Mottoes and Reward Cards, all to be sold at as low prices as they can be bought in larger cities. [d&wtf

*Strawberries and Cream.*—The ladies of Stapp's Chapel will give an Ice Cream and Strawberry Festival at the Opera House Thursday evening, May 30. It promises to be an enjoyable occasion. Let all go. [May 25-5t

## DECATUR MARKET REPORT.

DECATUR, May 28, 1872.

Wheat easier. Red has declined a little. Corn steady. Sales light. 40c is offered for choice lots of white at the mills.

Wool has further declined 4@6c. This is attributed to foreign importations, which have lowered the prices materially.

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| WHEAT—Red, per bushel | $1.90@1.95 |
| " White " | 2.00 |
| FLOUR—white wheat, ₱ hundred | 6.00 |
| " red " " | 5.50 |
| " superfine, " | 3.50 |
| " middlings, " | 2.50 |
| CORN MEAL—₱ bushel | .70 |
| RYE—₱ bushel | .65@70 |
| CORN—₱ bushel | .33 |
| " shelled, per bush | .35 |
| HAY—Timothy ₱ ton | 12.00@15.00 |
| OATS—₱ bushel | .30@33 |
| TIMOTHY SEED—₱ bushel | 3.50 |
| CLOVER SEED— " | 6.00@7.00 |
| BEANS—₱ bushel | |
| BUTTER—₱ lb | .15 |
| EGGS—per doz | .10 |
| LARD—₱ lb | .08 |
| BACON—Sides | .00 |
| HAMS—sugar-cured | .14 |
| SHOULDERS—per lb | .00 |
| HOGS—Live, per hundred | 3.25@3.95 |
| CATTLE— " " | 3.50@5.00 |
| SHEEP— " per hun., unsheared | 3.50@4.00 |
| " " " sheared | |
| POTATOES—Early Rose, per bu., | 1.25 |
| " Peach Blow, | |
| PEACHES—Dried, per lb | .12½ |
| APPLES— " | .12½ |
| DRIED CURRANTS—per lb | .20 |
| WOOL—Unwashed, merino & fine | 22@26 |
| " " coarse & long | 32@36 |
| " " combing | 38@42 |
| " Fleecewash'd, merino & fine | 38@43 |
| " " coarse & long | 40@45 |
| " " combing | 48@51 |
| " Tubwashed | 55@60 |
| " " and picked | 58@62 |
| HIDES—Green, ₱ lb | 06@07 |
| " Salted cured, | 08@09 |
| " Calf, | 12½@12½ |
| " Dry salt | 12½ |
| " Dry Flint | 16 |
| SHEEP PELTS—Green, [Cut, grubby, scarred or otherwise damaged, two-thirds price, branded, 10 per ct. off.] | 2.00@2.25 |
| FEATHERS—Prime, ₱ lb | .50@.60 |
| " Common, ₱ lb | .25@.40 |
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# FOUND--That Wessels' is selling Ladies' Lasting and Kid Slippers at 50 cents per pair.

DRY GOODS.

# WE ARE A LITTLE THIN, YET OUR HEALTH IS GOOD;

Perfectly able to keep New Goods coming in every day, which we are doing. Have just received all the new things in Parasols---beauties; also, Sunshades in Cotton, Gingham and four grades of Silk. Also, an elegant line of Grass Cloth, Buff Linens, Seersuckers, Plain and Striped Grenadines, Yosemites, Maraposis and Piques, all of which are very beautiful and desirable.

We do not propose to "SELL OUT CLEAN," ---might make us unhealthy---but propose to show you NEW, FRESH GOODS EVERY DAY AND WEEK, and WAY UNDER "Bottom Prices."

Have just received another invoice of elegant Kid Gloves, at $1,00.

**Our Cash Book does not Tell Stories!**

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No. 9 E. Main-st.

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## CHANCERY NOTICE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss.
MACON COUNTY, }

In the Circuit Court, July Term, A. D., 1872

Lewis F. Houck *vs.* Paschal K. Hamilton, Louisa Hamilton, James B. Fiske, and Augustus Knight.

IN CHANCERY.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the above entitled suit is now pending in the Circuit Court in and for the said County of Macon, and that summons has been issued in said case returnable to the said July term of said Court, to be holden at the Court House in Decatur, in said Macon county, on the

*22nd Day of July, A. D., 1872.*

When and where said defendants are required to appear and answer the bill of complaint filed in said cause, or the same will be taken *pro confesso* against all defendants not answering, and as to such defendants said cause will be heard *ex parte*.

THOMPSON MCCLELLAN, Clerk.

NELSON & ROBY, Sol's for Compl't

Decatur, May 30, 1872 d-4t.


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## Election Notice.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION, }
DECATUR, ILL., May 20, 1872 }

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That an Election will be held at the Court-House in Decatur, on the first Tuesday in June next, for the purpose of electing one member of the Board of Education, to serve for the term of three years. Said Election will be opened at 10 o'clock, p. m., and will close at 6 o'clock, p. m.

WM. L. HAMMER, President.
L. A. GASMAN, Clerk. (m22-6td


# The Daily Republican.

DECATUR, ILLINOIS:

Tuesday Evening, May 28.

THE DAILY REPUBLICAN will be delivered to subscribers in any part of the city, at *Twenty Cents per Week.*

Local Notices will be inserted at *Ten Cents* per line for the first insertion, and five cents per line for each subsequent insertion. Rates for time advertisements will be furnished upon application at the office.

*TO DAILY SUBSCRIBERS.*

Subscriptions to the DAILY REPUBLICAN will be collected every Saturday, at the places where the paper is delivered, unless otherwise ordered.

*IMPORTANT.*

We would be much obliged if our subscribers would inform the carrier at what particular place they desire their papers to be left.


## Announcements.

SHERIFF.

WE are authorized to announce Captain HARVEY MAHANNAH as a candidate for Sheriff, subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention.

WE are authorized to announce ISAAC D. JENNINGS as a candidate for Sheriff, subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention.

## CITY DEPARTMENT.

...See Litsinberger & Sutton's new advertisement.

...Strawberries are selling at 10 and 12½ cents per box to day.

...The weather continues delightful---to the hour of going to press.

...Enoch Emery, Esq., of the Peoria *Transcript*, called on us this morning.

...The new bakery wagon of Leiby & Son is about the nicest thing out in that line.

...People who have the ague ought to rejoice that Congress has placed quinine on the free list.

...The farmers' dogs are having plenty of fun and exercise, chasing lightning rod men off the farms.

...A number of our citizens will visit Boston during the continuance of the great Peace Jubilee.

...Cut-worms and grub-worms have already commenced their destructive operations in some places.

...A. B. Bunn, Esq., is erecting a fine brick residence on Prairie between Church and Edwards streets

...Rain, much needed and duly appreciated, has visited different parts of the county nearly every day last week.

...The ceremonies on Decoration Day will be interesting, and of course everybody who can will participate. See the programme in another column.

...The city marshal will prosecute some parties if they do not remove the rubbish and filth from around their premises, in accordance with his notification

...The official board of the First M. E. Church, have voted to give Rev. J. H Noble a leave of absence for an indefinite length of time, for rest and recreation.

...Uncle Joe Long is in town, and we have the best authority for stating that he is not, as has been erroneously reported, a "Liberal." He still adheres to the old party.

...A great many people who pass daily that pond of water which has been the theme of so many items on the corner of Water and Prairie streets, would much like to see the foundations commenced for the building that is to be erected, as that pool of water is becoming quite offensive.

...A firm on East Main street say that the Street Commissioner made them pay three dollars for hauling off the dirt taken out of a hole dug for a cistern, while right in front of their door, and near it, are three large mud holes. They would like to have that dirt hauled back and those holes filled up.

*Decoration Day.*—We presume our readers have not forgotten that next Thursday the 30th inst., is the day set apart in all the States for the decoration of the graves of our brave soldiers who years ago died for their country, and our country, and for the perpetuity of the Union, died fighting manfully at the front, pierced by a rebel bullet, or in the hospital, stricken down by diseases contracted in the line of duty, each equally brave, each equally a martyr to the cause of human liberty, and the blood of each more firmly cementing our country and its people together.—It is a grand sight to witness, year after year, our people performing the solemn yet pleasing duty of decorating the graves of our dear dead heroes, which as the years roll by are not lost sight of, but as personality is lost in the dim past, the grand idea for which they fought and died, stands out more boldly every year, and impels every true American to do honor to all of the brave dead who have saved to us our homes, our country, and to the oppressed of all nations an asylum, and a haven of rest. Next Tuesday is the day this pleasant duty is to be again performed, and we hope this year will witness a grand outpouring of the people, as in years past, to take part in or witness the usual ceremonies set apart by the Grand Army of the Republic for the occasion. We ask for the committee in charge of the matter, the most hearty co-operation on the part of *all* of our citizens.

*Died* in Evanston, Ill., May 24th, HENRY S. NOYES, Professor of Mathematics and Astronomy, in the North-Western University, and brother of Mrs. J. P. Kinney, of this city.

*Delicious.*—The ice cream served up at Holt & Krone's Ice Cream Parlor, over the Post Office is acknowledged by all who have tried it to be delicious. Dishes are well filled.

## *FROM MONTICELLO.*

MAY 27, 1872.

This venerable town is rapidly improving since the completion of the Monticello railroad to Champaign and Urbana.

The Presbyterian church has been frescoed and repaired inside. This Church is without a pastor at present, but will have one next month.

The new M. E. Church was completed about one year ago, at a cost of $15,000. It is a neat edifice, and a credit to the place. Great credit is due to Rev. Mr. Adams, the pastor, whose arduous efforts in the interest of the Church and village have resulted in great good.

We were pleasantly entertained at the residence of John Kiser, Esq., who is building a new house of modern style.—Mr. Herron, and others, have recently taken possession of new houses.

We met the genial W. T. Foster, Circuit Clerk, and L. J. Bond, Esq., President of the Monticello Railroad, who informed us that it was the purpose of the Company to complete the road from Monticello to Decatur next fall. The Pennsylvania Company will control this line, which will bring Decatur in direct communication with the various branches of this extensive company.

The Bloomington & Ohio River Railroad is completed from Bement to Windsor, and passenger and freight trains run regularly. A survey was made to-day of the road to run from Monticello to Fairbury, to connect with the Fox River Valley R. R., at the latter place. A large force of men are at work two miles north of Monticello. Next week the Monticello and the Havana, Mason City, Clinton & Eastern road will be consolidated.

We called on editor Holmes, of the Monticello *Independent*. The Democracy are discussing the propriety of starting a party organ, to serve their interests during the campaign.

At Bement the M. E. Church is undergoing repairs; Rev. J. Montgomery is the pastor. Next Thursday evening the ladies will give a strawberry festival.

We were pleased to make the acquaintance of A. F. Parker, operator in the Great Western office, Springfield, who was visiting his parents at Bement. Mr. Parker was formerly connected with the T. W. & W. R. R. Co., and has many friends along that line.

Decatur has a good reputation abroad, and is regarded as one of the prominent business cities of the State. C.

## *DECORATION DAY.*

The following arrangements have been agreed upon for Decoration Day, Thursday, May 30th:

Citizens are requested to assemble at Greenwood Cemetery at 3 o'clock, P. M. There will be no formal procession. Persons who desire to contribute wreaths or flowers for the decoration of the graves are requested to bring them to the rooms of the Ladies' Library, as early as possible on Thursday morning.

The musical portion of the exercises will be under charge of the Decatur Musical Union.

The devotional exercises will be by Rev. H. O. Hoffman and Rev. J. R. Locke.

Short addresses will be delivered by Hon. A. B. Bunn and Chas. A. Ewing, Esq.

The decoration ceremonies proper will be performed by twenty misses, who will be met at the house of the sexton of the cemetery by the committee in charge of the exercises shortly before 3 o'clock. It has been suggested, in order to afford all an opportunity of witnessing the ceremonies, that business generally throughout the city might be suspended between the hours of 3 and 5 o'clock P. M. may28d2t.

*Runaway.*—About five o'clock yesterday afternoon, Mrs. D. W. Samuels and Mrs. Danks were riding home in the buggy belonging to Mr. Samuels, foreman of the rolling mill. They were going through William street, and when near Jackson street something gave way about the harness, letting the buggy against the animal, which gave a sudden jump and started to run, encountering at the corner a buggy and horse which was being driven by Mrs. John McRoberts, and smashing the hind wheel of McRobert's buggy. Mrs. McRoberts jumped out, and saved herself from injury. The concussion threw Mrs. Samuels and Mrs. Danks out of the other buggy, Mrs. Danks sustaining no injury worth mentioning; but Mrs. Samuels was very badly bruised. She was taken into Mr. Reuben Butzer's house and Dr. Aikman sent for. The Doctor found that she was badly bruised about the neck and limbs, but pronounced the wounds as not being serious, dressed them, got her quite comfortable, and she was taken to her own residence about eight o'clock. Meanwhile the horse had continued on in his wild career, smashing the buggy all to pieces, and, leaving it nearly opposite Lintner's factory, went home alone.

*Social Ball.*—There will be a ball given by the young gentlemen in town at the St. Nicholas Hotel on Friday evening, the 31st inst. Music will be rendered by Prof. Goodman's string band. Tickets, $1.00.

*From Maroa.*—The citizens of this place have recently organized a temperance society, with an efficient corps of officers. On Thursday evening last the meeting was held at the Christian Church, and a large audience was addressed by Rev. Mr Whitlock, of the M. E Church. H. B. Funk and others furnished music that was very acceptable.

The Wallace Hotel is a credit to this place. The citizens are not ashamed to refer to the newly refitted house kept by B. F. Wallace. Nothing disreputable is connected with it.

*The Shooting Affair.*—The inquest yesterday afternoon over the body of Riley Calhoun, was continued for three hours. A post-mortem examination was made of the wound, which showed that the ball entered the jugular vein and lodged in the bones of the neck. The following was the verdict rendered by the jury:

We the jury summoned by M. Y. Givler, Coroner of Macon county, to hold an inquest over the dead body of Riley Calhoun, agree from the evidence that the said Calhoun was killed by a pistol ball discharged by Alonzo Banister at William Johnston, but, missing Johnston, penetrated the neck of said Calhoun, injured the spinal chord, causing death.

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Bannister waived the preliminary examination, and was committed to jail to await the sitting of the grand jury. He is between 15 and 16 years old, which fact will prevent his suffering the extreme penalty of the law.

Calhoun, the murdered man, was buried to-day at 3 o'clock, p. m., the funeral being attended by nearly all the colored people in town, for he was very much respected among them, being a very exemplary man, and an active member of the colored church.

*Illinois Sabbath School Association.*—The Fourteenth Annual Convention of the Sabbath School Association of the State of Illinois, will meet at Aurora, June 18th, 19th and 20th, 1872, commencing Tuesday morning and closing Thursday evening.

The citizens of Aurora are making extensive preparations to receive their guests, and it is hoped that this will be one of the best State Conventions ever held in the State.

The programme for the Convention will be similar to that of the National Sabbath School Convention—the topics being: "The Field," "The Seed," "The Sowers," "The Sowing," "The Harvest."

Arrangements will be made with the Railroads as far as possible, to reduce the fares, the success of which will be known at the Convention.

*Pic-Nic.*—The children of the Universalist Sunday school will have a pic-nic on the 12th of June, on an excursion train to Mt. Pulaski. The tickets, including fare both ways and dinner, will be $1 25.

*Just Received* at W. E. Wilson's, a large number of Sunday School Library and Song Books, Mottoes and Reward Cards, all to be sold at as low prices as they can be bought in larger cities. [d&wtf

*Strawberries and Cream.*—The ladies of Stapp's Chapel will give an Ice Cream and Strawberry Festival at the Opera House Thursday evening, May 30. It promises to be an enjoyable occasion. Let all go. [May 25 5t

## DECATUR MARKET REPORT

DECATUR, May 28, 1872.

Wheat easier. Red has declined a little. Corn steady. Sales light. 40c is offered for choice lots of white at the mills.

Wool has further declined 3@6c. This is attributed to foreign importations, which have lowered the prices materially.

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| WHEAT—Red, per bushel | $1.30@1.95 |
| " White " | 2.00 |
| FLOUR—white wheat, ₱ hundred | 6.00 |
| " red " " | 5.50 |
| " superfine, " | 3.50 |
| " middlings, " | 2.50 |
| CORN MEAL—₱ bushel | .70 |
| RYE—₱ bushel | .45@70 |
| CORN—₱ bushel | .53 |
| " shelled, per bush | .35 |
| HAY—Timothy ₱ ton | 12.00@15.00 |
| OATS—₱ bushel | .30@31 |
| TIMOTHY SEED—₱ bushel | 3.50 |
| CLOVER SEED— " | 6.00@ 7.00 |
| BEANS—₱ bushel | |
| BUTTER—₱ lb | .15 |
| EGGS—per doz | .10 |
| LARD—₱ lb | .08 |
| BACON—Sides | .08 |
| HAMS—sugar-cured | .11 |
| SHOULDERS—per lb | .06 |
| HOGS—Live, per hundred | 3.25@3.35 |
| CATTLE— " " | 3.50@5.00 |
| SHEEP— " per hun., unsheared | 3.50@4.00 |
| " " " sheared | |
| POTATOES—Early Rose, per bu., | 1.25 |
| " Peach Blow, | 1.25 |
| PEACHES—Dried, per lb | .12½ |
| APPLES— " | .12½ |
| DRIED CURRANTS—per lb | .25 |
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| " " coarse & long | 33@36 |
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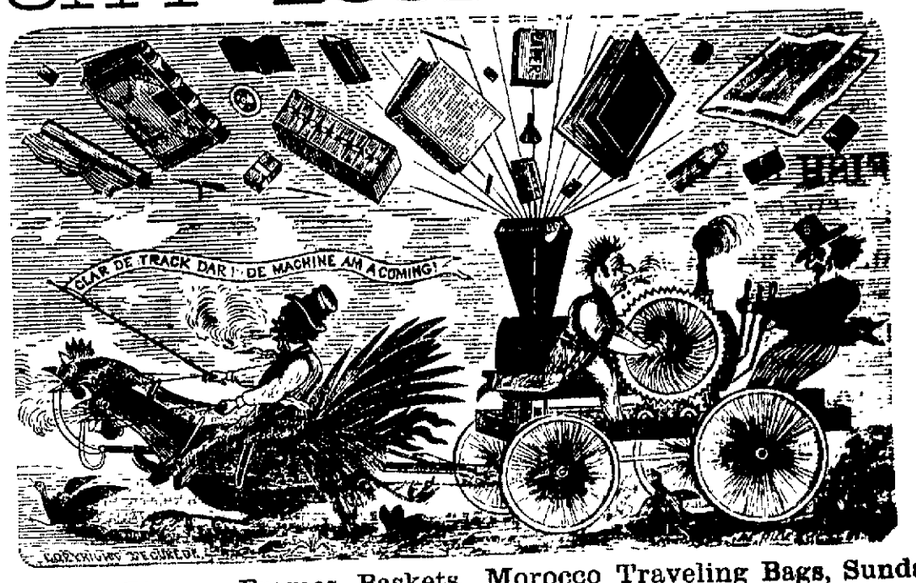


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## SHERIFF'S SALE.

BY VIRTUE OF ONE EXECUTION, to me directed and delivered by the Clerk of the Circuit Court of Macon County, Illinois, in favor of Lewis B. Cassell, and against James Powell, I have levied upon the undivided interest of James Powell in the following described property, to-wit: The west half (½) of lot four (4), in the northwest quarter of section four (4), in township fifteen (15), north range four (4), east of the third principal meridian in Macon County, Illinois. Taken as the property of the said James Powell, which I shall offer at public sale at the west door of the Court House, in Macon county, in said State, on the 13th day of June, A D 1872, between the hours of ten o'clock, A. M., and five o'clock, P. M., of said day, for cash in hand, to satisfy said Execution.

This 27th day of May A. D., 1872

GEORGE M. WOOD,
May 27 d-20 d. Sheriff Macon County


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## *BENEVOLENT SECRET SOCIETIES.*

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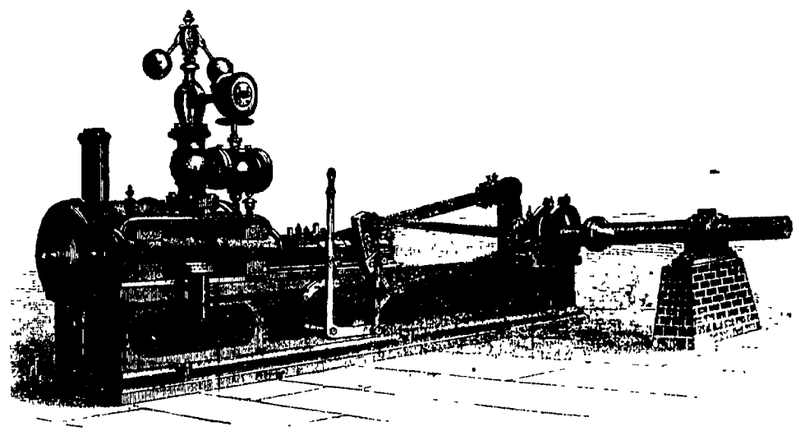

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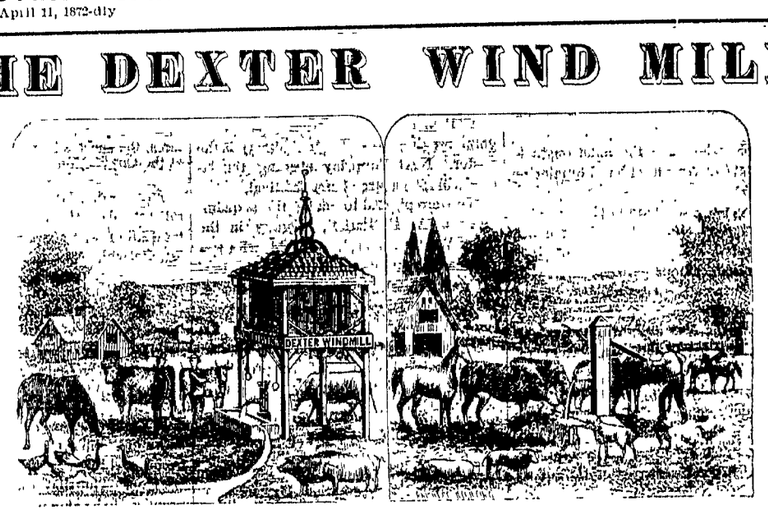


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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that I will on the 25th day of April, A. D., 1872, attend at the Assessor's Office of the 7th Collection District, Illinois, in the town of Watseka, in said District, for the purpose of receiving and determining appeals relative to any erroneous or excessive valuations, assessments or enumerations by said Assessor, or any Assistant Assessor, returned in the Annual List of March, 1872. All appeals must be in writing, and must specifically state causes of appeal.

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April 11, 1872—w-4t.

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Decatur, March 14, 1872—tf.

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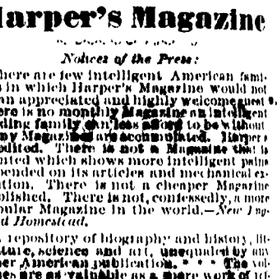


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May 11, 1871-6mo

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April 1, 1872—d-tf.

MACON COUNTY

TITLE

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**WARREN & DURFEE.**

April 1, 1872-d-tf.

**Reliable Fire Insurance**

NEW YORK

## UNDERWRITERS'

AGENCY.

**Cash Assets January 1, 1872,**

**$3,666,242.85.**

CHICAGO, December 1

*To the Officers of the Germania, Hanover, Niagara and Republic Fire Ins. Co.'s, New York:*

GENTLEMEN:—The course pursued by you in the adjustment and payment of our own claims, and so far as we know of ALL claims for losses in the great fire in Chicago, has been so highly honorable, so prompt and straightforward, and manifested such apparent desire to deal justly with all parties, under all circumstances, that we desire voluntarily to acknowledge it in the business public. We consider that no other test could be made, both of the reliability and of the integrity of an Insurance organization, than yours has passed through successfully and creditably. Your Capital and undiminished Assets, and a record for equitable and honorably surpassed by none, entitle you as an institution to the confidence of the community, and to the career of prosperity, to which your actions have so justly entitled you, and remain,

Yours very respectfully,

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April 1, 1872-d-tf.

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**$2,509,526.00**

*Losses in Chicago Fire*

**$1,485,888.**

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OF

**NORTH AMERICA**

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And continues to offer its services keeping RELIABLE INDEMNITY loss by fire.

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April 1, 1872-d-tf.

**STO**

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It is wonderful to what an extent people believe happiness depends on not being obliged to labor. Honest, hearty, contented labor is the only source of happiness, as well as the only guarantee of life. Idleness and luxury induce premature decay much faster than many trades regarded as the most exhaustive and fatal to longevity. Labor in general, actually increases the term of life. It is the lack of occupation that annually destroys so many of the wealthy, who, having nothing to do, play the part of drones, and, like them, make a speedy exit, while the busy fills out its day in usefulness and honor

POLITENESS. Manners, says the eloquent Edmund Burke, are of more importance than laws. Upon them in a great measure the law depends. The law can touch us here and there now and then. Manners are what vex or soothe, exalt or debase, by a constant, steady, uniform, insensible operation, like that of the air we breath in. They give their whole form and color to our lives. According to their quality, they aid morals, they supply them or they totally destroy them.

A PAPER-HANGER of Boston found himself, a few weeks ago, with a large stock of extremely ugly wall paper on hand, which he despaired of selling. A lady came in one day, and seeing the large bouquets of flowers which formed the design of the paper, complimented him upon his enterprise in securing the Dolly Varden pattern. He took the hint, spoke of the fashionable article to his customers, and in a few weeks sold every roll of it.

## SHERIFF'S SALE.

BY VIRTUE OF ONE EXECUTION, to me directed and delivered by the Clerk of the Circuit Court of Macon County, Illinois, in favor of Lewis B. Cassell, and against James Powell, I have levied upon the undivided interest of James Powell in the following described land, to-wit: The west half (½) of lot four (4), in the northwest quarter of section four (4), in township fifteen (15), north range four (4), east of the third principal meridian in Macon County, Illinois. Taken as the property of the said James Powell, which I shall offer at public sale at the second door of the Court House, in Macon county, in said State, on the 15th day of June, A. D. 1872, between the hours of ten o'clock, A. M., and five o'clock, P. M., of said day, for cash in hand, to satisfy said Execution.

This 27th day of May A. D., 1872.

GEORGE M. WOOD,
May 27 d-29 d. Sheriff Macon County

## SAMUEL TIBBETS

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## Insurance Agent,

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## $47,500,000 ASSETS!

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| German American Ins. Co., N. Y. | 1,000,000 |
| Liverpool, and London, and Globe, England | 20,440,070 |
| National Fire Insurance Co., Hartford, Conn. | 617,303 |
| Aetna Fire Ins. Co., Ellis | 1,000,057 |
| North Missouri Fire Ins. Co., Macon, Mo. | 613,115 |
| Mutual Benefit Life Insurance Co, of Newark, N. J., | 32,012,078 |

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April 1, 1872—d-tf.

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State Treasurer.....E. N. Bates
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Representative at Large.....J. L. Beveridge
" 7th Dist.....Jesse H. Moore

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Representatives, 16th Dist.....William T. Mc Clure, Wm. E. Nelson

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District Attorney.....M. B. Thompson
Clerk Circuit Court.....E. McClellan

*County Officers.*

County Judge.....S. F. Greer
County Clerk.....H. W. Waggoner
County Treasurer.....W. M. Boyd
Sheriff.....Geo. M. Wood
Deputy.....I. D. Jennings
Superintendent of Schools.....O. F. McKim
County Surveyor.....Geo. V. Loring
Coroner.....M. Y. Givler

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Mayor.....D. S. Shellabarger
Aldermen—1st wd Joseph Mills, W. J. Myers
" 2d " Frank Hardy, E. McNabb
" 3d " A. T. Hill, Wm Bramble
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Register.....Geo. P. Hardy
Treasurer.....M. K. Hatch
Assessor.....Fred. J. Smith
Collector.....H. H. Brown
Attorney.....
Engineer.....G. V. Loring
Supervisor.....A. Marth
Marshal.....Jno Haworth
Deputy Marshal.....I. S. Howes
Magistrates.....A. W. Hardy, Geo. Goodman
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BOARD OF EDUCATION OF THE DECATUR PUBLIC SCHOOLS.—Wm. L. Hammer, S. F. Greer, and H. B. Durfee; Wm. L. Hammer, President; E. A. Gastman, Superintendent and Clerk.

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Assessor.....Fred. J. Smith
Collector.....H. H. Brown
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Justices of Peace.....M. K. Hatch, J. W. Bear, J. L. Kinney, T B Albert, .....G. W. Baker
Constables.....H Churchman, J J H Young & W Carter, J H Mauzy, S Welsted

*Board of Supervisors.*

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Friends Creek.....R H Clark
Austin.....Daniel Patterson
Blue Mound.....David F Barber
Macon.....Norman Golling
Mt Zion.....George C Smith
Whitmore.....Joshua Green
Mantle.....John C Gordy
Harristown.....M. G Channon
Hickory Point.....A. McBride
Oakley.....Reed Spencer
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Milam.....Geo A Bartlett

## CHURCHES AND SOCIETIES.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH—On Prairie street between Main and Church streets. Rev. J. F. Marsh, pastor. Regular services at 10½ o'clock, A. M. and 7 P. M.; Sabbath school, 2 P. M.

FIRST METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH—Corner of North Water and William Streets. Rev. J. H. Noble, pastor. Services at 10½ A. M. and 7 P. M. Sabbath school at 2 P. M.

STATE STREET (COLORED METHODIST EPISCOPAL)—Corner of Eldorado and Franklin streets.—Rev. H. O. Hoffman, pastor. Services at 10½ A. M. and 7 P. M.; Sabbath school at 2 P. M. H. Buck, Presiding Elder.

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PROTESTANT EPISCOPAL CHURCH—On Water street south of Eldorado street. Rev. ——, rector. Services at 10½ A. M. and 7 P. M.; Sabbath school at 2:30 P. M.

UNITED BRETHREN CHURCH—Corner North Main and Cerro Gordo streets. Rev. Mr. Fields, pastor. Services at 10½ A. M. and 7 P. M.; Sabbath school at 9 A. M.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH—Corner of North Main and North streets; Rev. A. D. Northcutt, pastor. Services at 10½ A. M. and 7 P. M.; Sabbath school at 9 A. M.

GERMAN METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH—On Eldorado street, between Church and Union streets. Rev. H. Hilmes, pastor.—Services at 10½ A. M. and 7 P. M. Sabbath school at 9 A. M. and 2 P. M.

UNIVERSALIST CHURCH—On Prairie street west of the new square. Rev. ——, pastor. Services 10½ A. M. and 7 P. M.; Sabbath school 9½ A. M.

CATHOLIC CHURCH—Corner of North and Jackson streets. Services by the Rev. Mr. Walsh, every Sabbath, at 8 A. M., early mass; high mass, 10½; vespers at 3½ P. M.

CHRISTIAN BROTHERS—On corner of Water and Cerro Gordo streets, Rev. M. S. Nowcomer, pastor. Services at 10½ A. M. and 7 P. M.; Sabbath school 2 P. M.

GERMAN LUTHERAN CHURCH—Corner of Wood and Edward streets. Rev. Mr. ——, pastor. Services at 10½ A. M. and 7 P. M.

## BENEVOLENT SECRET SOCIETIES.

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MACON LODGE, No. 8, A. F. & A. M.—Regular meeting, Saturday night preceding full moon every month. W. H. Dipson, W. M.; Samuel Newell, Secretary.

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MACON CHAPTER, No. 21.—Regular meeting, Tuesday night preceding full moon every month. A. A. Murray, H. P.; Geo. S. Durfee, Secretary.

DECATUR COUNCIL, No. 16.—A. A. Murray, G. M.; J. R. Gorin, P. C. W.; Wm. L. Hammer Recorder. Regular meeting, first Monday of every month.

BEAUMANOIR COMMANDERY, No. 8.—A. A. Murray, E. C.; J. S. Hand, Recorder. Regular meeting fourth Thursday each month.

ODD-FELLOWS.

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DECATUR ENCAMPMENT.—H. M. Oberndorf, C. P.; B. J. Schoch, H. P.; M. Albeitz, S. W.; Robert Mohegan, J. W.; I. W. Ehrman, Scribe; J. W. Bear, Treas. Meetings, second and fourth Tuesday every month at Odd-Fellow's Hall.

DECATUR LODGE, I. O. O. F., No. 65.—B. Schoch, N. G.; Newton Edwards, V. G.; Wm Tweeling, R. S.; P. D. Kline, P. S.; Geo. W. Baker, Treas.

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS.

CŒUR DE LION LODGE, No 17.—Knights of Pythias.—W. H. Spencer, W. C.; C. M. Dunfee, W. R. & C. S.; meet Wednesday evenings at their hall, cor of E. Main and Water sts.

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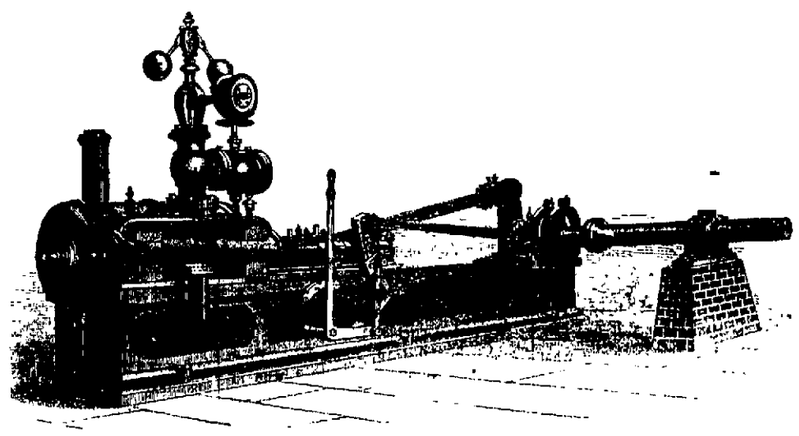

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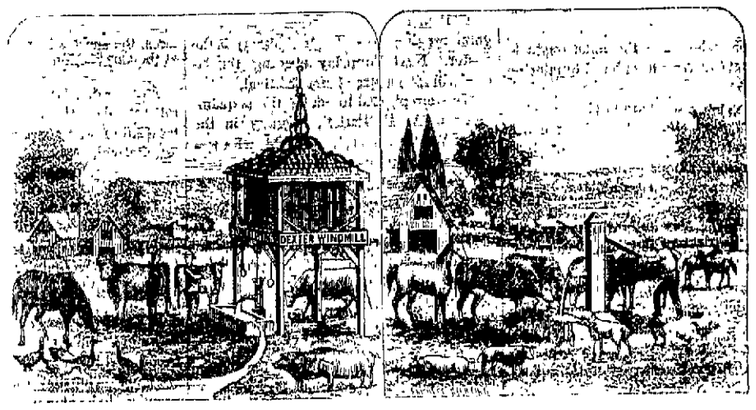

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October 19, 1871—3mos.

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ASSESSOR'S OFFICE, 7TH DIST., ILL., WATSEKA, April 8th, 1872

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that I will on the 25th day of April, A. D., 1872, attend at the Assessor's Office of the 7th Collection District, Illinois, in the town of Watseka, in said District, for the purpose of receiving and determining appeals relative to any erroneous or excessive valuations, assessments or enumerations by said Assessor, or any Assistant Assessor, returned in the Annual List of March, 1872. All appeals must be in writing, and must specifically state causes of appeal.

FRANKLIN BLADES, Assessor.

April 11, 1872—w-2t.

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Decatur, March 14, 1872—tf.

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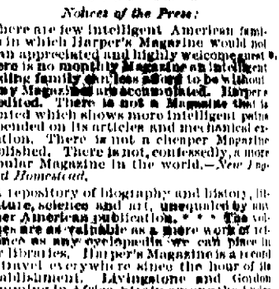


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[From the Baltimore Gazette.]

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### *MEXICO'S DECLINE.*

In the case of Mexico, whether the Government or the revolutionists win, the country is left bankrupt Forced loans are the resort and dependence of both armies. By this kind of robbery the people are ruined, and the State is nowise benefited. The effects of the frequent outbreaks in the unhappy republic are made manifest in the falling off of her trade. The entire revenue of the country is but $18,219,700, upon commerce which averaged but $51,000,000 annually, which is constantly declining. In 1867 she exported to Great Britain nearly $25,000,000 in value, while in 1870 it has fallen to $6,000,000.

The total foreign trade of $32,000,000 is now forced to yield a revenue of nearly $13,000,000. Of her entire indebtedness of $305,000,000, she pays interest upon but $35,000,000. This causes her to be excluded from the stock markets of the world Her entire population is little over 8,000,000. Of this over 6,000,000 are Indians and mixed, 900 000 decendents of Spaniards and Indians, 300,000 Spaniards, and 10,000 Europeans. Is it to be wondered at under such circumstances, that Juarez is discouraged, and that the idea has been suggested of a protectorate or annexation to the United States—*San Francisco Call.*

A MOHAMETAN REVIVAL.—The Mohametans are having what Christians would term a revival of religion. The injunction of the Koran against the use of intoxicating liquors is obeyed much more generally than in former days. The great Mohametal festivals contrast favorably with St. Patrick's day and Easter in the matter of sobriety. The revivals also extends to public schools. These were formerly somewhat Catholic and European, both as to the branches of learning taught and the nationality of the scholars, but now they are thoroughly and emphatically Mohametan. Each succeeding year witnesses a steady increase in the number of pilgrims to Mecca and other holy shrines It is evident that the descendants of the Turks and Saracens, however willing to adopt the forms of western civilization, have no intention of abandoning the faith of their fathers.—*New York Sun*

A JEWISH Rabbi in Richmond writes to the *Dispatch* that the lightning-rod of our times was known in the thirteenth century, and quotes from a work extant in 1291 the following: "If you want to prevent the thunders from destroying your castle, then put on the roof a metal wire, and it will be saved." But more remarkable is that about the telegraph, which a Jewish exile from Spain, in 1492, wrote. "We have a good proof (for an invisible connection) in the magnet stone. If you break this stone into two parts (positive and negative), and you lay one part on one side and the other on the other side, even though they are separated thousands of miles, but connected (a wire of) iron then every movement which you make one side will be visible on the other in the same moment"

THE imports at Boston in April were nearly ten millions in gold, foreign valuation, and worth, when entered for consumption, nearly twenty millions in currency. Nearly twenty Indiamen were entered at that port and vessels from every part of the globe, among others more than sixty cargoes of sugar and molasses; also ten or fifteen cargoes from Rio Grande and Buenos Ayres, vessels from Australia, Africa, Egypt, Europe, and all parts of this continent.

THE Empress of Austria is called, and generally acknowledged, to be the most beautiful woman in Europe. She is tall, has golden hair and remarkable blue eyes. Her toilets are marvels of elegance and taste, and her manners soft and pleasant—like those of a girl of sixteen

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A GIRL'S PITY FOR A LONELY YOUNG MAN.—I know nothing in the world tenderer than the pity a kind hearted young girl has for a young man who feels lonely. It is true that these dear creatures are all compassion for every form of human woe, and anxious to alleviate all human misfortunes. They will all go to Sunday Schools through storms their brothers are afraid of, to teach the most unpleasant and intractable classes the age of Methuselah and the dimensions of Og, the King of Bashan's, bedstead. They will stand behind a table at a fair all day, until they are ready to drop, dress in their prettiest clothes and sweetest smiles, and lay hands upon you, like so many Lady Potiphars—perfectly correct ones of course—to make you buy what you do not want, at prices which you cannot afford; all this as if it were martyrdom to them as well as to you. Such is their love for all good objects, such their eagerness to sympathise with all their suffering fellow creatures! But there is nothing they pity as they pity a lonely young man.—*O. W. Holmes.*


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## Chancery Notice.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
MACON COUNTY, }

Of the July Term of the Macon County Circuit Court, A. D., 1872.

Mattie E. Dresbach vs. Daniel Dresbach, Andrew J. Dresbach, Mary M. Dresbach, Hannah Dresbach, Susanna Roberts, William E. Roberts, and Reuben Betzer, Adm'rs of Estate of Elizabeth C. Dresbach.

IN CHANCERY.

AFFIDAVIT of the non-residence of Daniel Dresbach, Hannah Dresbach, Susanna Roberts, and William E. Roberts, of the above named defendants, having been filed in the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of said county. Notice is hereby given to the said Daniel Dresbach, Hannah Dresbach, Susanna Roberts, and William E. Roberts, that the complainant heretofore filed her bill of complaint in said court, on the chancery side thereof, and that a summons thereupon issued out of said court against the said defendants; returnable on the Fourth Monday of July next (1872), as the law requires. Now, unless you, the said Daniel Dresbach and Hannah Dresbach, Susanna Roberts and William E. Roberts, shall personally be and appear before said Circuit Court on the first day of a term thereof to be held at the Court House in Decatur, in said county, on the

*Fourth Monday of July, A. D., 1872.*

And plead, answer or demur to the said complainant's bill of complaint, the same, and the matters and things therein charged and stated, will be taken as confessed, and a decree entered against you according to the prayer of the said bill.

E. McCLELLAN, Clerk.

CREA & EWING for Compl'ts.
Decatur, May 22, 1872—d4w.

## ATTACHMENT NOTICE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
MACON COUNTY, }

In the Circuit Court to the July term, A. D., 1872.

SAMUEL CLARK, } Attachment.
vs.
MOSES C. HICKS, }

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to the above-named Moses C. Hicks, that a Writ of Attachment dated April 1, 1872, returnable to the next term of the Circuit Court aforesaid, issued out of the office of the Clerk of said Court at the suit of the above-named Samuel Clark, and against the estate of the said Moses C. Hicks, directed to the Sheriff of said county, for the sum of One Thousand Dollars; and that the same has been returned executed, and said cause is now pending before the Circuit Court of said Macon county.

Now, unless you, the said Moses C. Hicks, shall appear before said Court, give bail, and plead in said cause by a certain day hereafter to be fixed by the Judge of said Court, in the next term thereof to be holden at the Court House, in the city of Decatur and county aforesaid, commencing on the 22d day of July, A. D., 1872, judgment will be rendered against you, and in favor of the said Samuel Clark, for the said sum of One Thousand Dollars and the costs of this cause; and so much of the property attached by virtue of the said Writ of Attachment as may be necessary will be sold to satisfy said judgment.

Dated May 10, 1872.

E. McCLELLAN, Clerk,

ROBINSON, KNAPP & KNAPP, } Plaintiff's Att'ys.
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*W. C. JOHNS,*

ATTORNEY AT LAW.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
MACON COUNTY, }

In the Circuit Court to the July Term, A. D., 1872.

James W. Routh vs. Mary Wyatt and Jesse Leforgee.

INJUNCTION.

AFFIDAVIT of the non-residence of Mary Wyatt, the above-named defendant, having been filed in the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of Macon county, in said State, notice is hereby given to the said Mary Wyatt, that the complainant has filed his certain bill of complaint in said Circuit Court, on the chancery side thereof, and that summons thereupon issued against you the said Mary Wyatt, returnable on the Fourth Monday in July, A. D., 1872. Now, unless you, the said Mary Wyatt, shall personally be and appear before said Court on the first day of a term thereof to be holden at the Court-House in Decatur, in said Macon county, on the

*Fourth Monday in July, A. D., 1872,*

And plead, answer or demur to said complainants' bill of complaint, the same, and the matters and things therein contained, will be taken *pro confesso* and a decree entered in accordance with the prayer of said bill.

E. McCLELLAN, Clk of Cir. Court.

W. C. JOHNS, Sol. for Compl't.
Decatur, May 9, 1872—w4t.

## ATTACHMENT NOTICE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
MACON COUNTY, }

In the Circuit Court to the July term, A. D., 1872.

JAMES J. CRUSSAN, } Attachment.
vs.
GEORGE T. HALL, }

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to the said defendant in the above entitled suit, that the same is now pending in said Court, and that a Writ of Attachment was issued therein from said Court on the 10th day of May, A. D., 1872, at the suit of the said James J. Crussan, against the estate of the said George T. Hall for the sum of One Hundred and Twenty-Seven 53-100 Dollars, returnable on the first day of the next term thereof, to be holden in Decatur, in said county; which said Writ has been returned levied upon the estate of the said George T. Hall; and unless the said George T. Hall shall appear, give bail and plead on the return day of said Writ, judgment will be entered and the estate attached will be sold.

Given under my hand this 13th day of May, A. D., 1872.

E. McCLELLAN, Clerk.

*W. C. JOHNS,*

ATTORNEY AT LAW.

## Chancery Notice.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
MACON COUNTY, }

In the Circuit Court to the July Term, A. D., 1872.

Frank Hebenstreit vs. Alois Hildenbrand, Clara Hildenbrand, Veronica Hildenbrand, Augusta Hildenbrand, Ferdinand Hildenbrand, and Lizzie Hildenbrand.

IN CHANCERY.

AFFIDAVIT that the above named defendants, Alois Hildenbrand, Clara Hildenbrand and Veronica Hildenbrand, after due and diligent search, cannot be found in the State of Illinois, so that process can be served upon them, having been filed in the office of the Circuit Clerk of Macon county, in the State of Illinois, notice is hereby given to the said Alois Hildenbrand, Clara Hildenbrand, and Veronica Hildenbrand, that the said Frank Hebenstreit has filed his bill of complaint in the Circuit Court of Macon county, on the chancery side thereof, and that summons has issued, returnable on the Fourth Monday in July, A. D., 1872, as by law required. Now, unless you the said Alois Hildenbrand, Clara Hildenbrand, and Veronica Hildenbrand, shall personally be and appear before said Court on the first day of a term thereof to be holden at the Court-House in Decatur, in said Macon county, on the

*Fourth Monday in July, A. D., 1872,*

And plead, answer or demur to said complainant's bill of complaint, the same, and the matters and things therein contained, will be taken as confessed and a decree will be entered in accordance with the prayer of said bill.

E. McCLELLAN, Clk of Cir. Court.

W. C. JOHNS, Sol. for Compl't.
Decatur, May 8, 1872—w1t.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
MACON COUNTY, }

In the Circuit Court to the July term, A. D., 1872.

Daniel H. Elwood, Reuben Wilkinson, and David P. Elwood, partners as Elwood & Co.,
vs.
Paschal K. Hamilton, Louisa Hamilton, John W. Hamilton, James B. Fiske, Augustus Knight, and Lewis F. Houck.

*Foreclosure of Mechanic's Lien.*

AFFIDAVIT of the non-residence of the above-named defendants, James B. Fiske and Augustus Knight, having been filed in the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of said Macon county, notice is hereby given to the said James B. Fiske and Augustus Knight, that the complainants heretofore filed their bill of complaint in said court, on the chancery side thereof, and that a summons thereupon issued out of said court against the above-named defendants, returnable on the Fourth Monday in July next, as is by law required.

Now, unless you, the said James B. Fiske and Augustus Knight, shall personally be and appear before the said Court on the first day of the next term thereof, to be holden at the Court-House in the city of Decatur, in said county, on the

*Fourth Monday in July, A. D., 1872.*

And plead, answer or demur to the said complainants' bill of complaint, the same, and the matters and things therein charged and stated, will be taken as confessed, and a decree entered against you according to the prayer of the said bill.

E. McCLELLAN, Clerk.

CREA & EWING for Compl'ts.
Decatur, May 22, 1872—d4w.

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Attorney at Law.

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April 13, 1872-d&wtf.

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*John W. Haworth,*
City Marshal.

Decatur, April 20, 1872-d1w.

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Aug. 11, 1870-1y

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
MACON COUNTY, }

In the Circuit Court, to the July term, A. D. 1872.

WILLIAM HUMMEL, } Attachment.
vs.
AMOS T. HICKMAN, }

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to the above-named Amos T. Hickman, that on the 20th day of May, A. D., 1872, a Writ of Attachment issued out of the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of Macon county against his estate, at the suit of William Hummel, for the sum of Two Thousand and Seventy-seven and 58-100 Dollars, directed to the Sheriff of said Macon county; and that the same has been executed.

Now, unless you, the said Amos T. Hickman, shall personally be and appear before said Court on the first day of the next term, to be holden at the Court-House in the city of Decatur, upon the

*22d day of July, A. D. 1872,*

And give bail or plead to the said plaintiff's action within the time limited by said court, judgment will be entered against you and in favor of said William Hummel, and so much of the estate so attached as may be necessary to make the amount of said judgment and costs, will be sold to satisfy the same.

E. McCLELLAN,

Clk of the Circuit Court of Macon Co., Ill.
CREA & EWING, Att'ys for Pl'ff.
May 21, 1872—d4w.


## SHERIFF'S SALE.

BY VIRTUE OF ONE EXECUTION to me directed and delivered by the Clerk of the Circuit Court of Macon County, Illinois, in favor of Henry Ebert and against Frederick Snyder, I have levied upon the following described property, to-wit: The northeast quarter (¼) of the northeast quarter (¼), except twenty (20) feet off west side, all in section eighteen (18), township sixteen (16), north, range three east of the third principal meridian. Taken as the property of the said Frederick Snyder which I shall offer at public sale at the west door of the Court-House, in Macon county, in said State, on the 23d day of May, A. D. 1872, between the hours of 10 o'clock, A. M., and 5 o'clock, P. M., of said day; for cash in hand, to satisfy said Execution.

This 8d day of May, A. D., 1872.

GEORGE M. WOOD,
Sheriff Macon Co.

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## Administrator's Notice.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the undersigned, Administrator of the Estate of William Hile, Dec'd, late of Macon county, will attend before the County Court of said county, in the city of Decatur, on Monday, the 20th day of May, A. D., 1872, for the purpose of settling and adjusting all claims against the Estate of said deceased, when and where all persons holding claims against said deceased are requested to present the same for adjustment. All those indebted are requested to make immediate payment.

C. H. GARVER,
Administrator.

May 6-d&w,

## Administrator's Notice.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the undersigned, Administrator of the Estate of William Mecray, Dec'd, late of Macon county, Illinois, will attend before the County Court of said county, in the city of Decatur, on Monday, the 27th day of June, A. D., 1872, for the purpose of settling and adjusting all claims against the Estate of said deceased, when and where all persons holding claims against said deceased are requested to present the same for adjustment. All those indebted are requested to make immediate payment.

FABIAN McCAY,
Administrator.

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## Administrator's Notice.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the undersigned, Administrator of the Estate of Francis Rogers, dec'd, late of Macon county, Illinois, will attend before the County Court of said county, in the city of Decatur, on Monday, the 17th day of June, A. D., 1872, for the purpose of settling and adjusting all claims against the Estate of said deceased, when and where all persons holding claims against said deceased are requested to present the same for adjustment. All those indebted are requested to make immediate payment.

DAVID P. KELLER,
Administrator.

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## Administrator's Notice

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the undersigned, Administrators of the Estate of Thomas F. Jones, Dec'd, late of Macon county, Illinois, will attend before the County Court of said county, in the city of Decatur, on Monday, the 20th day of May, A. D., 1872, for the purpose of settling and adjusting all claims against the Estate of said deceased, when and where all persons holding claims against said deceased are requested to present the same for adjustment. All those indebted are requested to make immediate payment.

PETER A. JONES,
JESSE GREENFIELD, } Adm'rs.

April 1, 1872-daw-4w.


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